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## UNITED STATES ADVANCING WORLD PEACE PLAN

Naval Agreement With Britain Part Of Anticipated Policy

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STABILISATION OF PEACE AND WORLD PROSPERITY

### FOUR POINT PLAN

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WASHINGTON, NOV. 26.

THE UNITED STATES IS STUDYING A PLAN WHICH WILL BRING TO THE WORLD GREATER ASSURANCE OF LASTING PEACE, BY MEANS OF WHICH AMERICA HOPES TO PRESERVE AN ATMOSPHERE OF CALM IN THE PACIFIC AND A CLOSE RELATIONSHIP WITH ENGLAND AND THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

It was announced to-day, by well-informed authorities, that members of the Administration had been instructed to study "peace stabilisation steps" calculated to put the threat and talk of war into the background of world affairs.

First, the United States is making plans for a new general conference of Pacific nations. She is investigating the possibility of interesting Pacific countries in a scheme which would emphasise their community of interest for the preservation of peace, particularly in the Far East.

At the same time, America will endeavour to readjust political pacts in the Pacific.

It is supposed that the powers chiefly concerned in such a move would be Japan, China, Canada, Mexico, and possibly Russia, and it is likely that they will be invited to a general conference. Britain's interests would be guarded through the Canadian delegation, it is suggested.

HELP FOR LEAGUE

The second phase of the American scheme for the stabilisation of world peace, it is believed, is the formulation of a foreign policy which will allow for closer co-operation and collaboration with the League of Nations.

Such a closer union has been the goal of numerous European statesmen, but the American policy of isolation always hindered efforts at achieving real unity of action. America would have it clearly understood, however, that her suggestion of a nearer relationship with the League did not necessarily mean adherence to the League Covenant.

NAVAL UNDERSTANDING

The third point of the new diplomatic programme would be the formation of an Anglo-American naval understanding. This is looked upon as a most important move, and one which, if achieved, would give the English-speaking powers an immense influence in future armaments negotiations.

Fourthly, the United States will seek international agreement upon economic relief measures, in an effort to revive world trade and break finally and completely the strangle-hold of the depression.—United Press.

An enjoyable social was held by members of St. Andrew's Club in the Church Hall last night. Games and competitions were indulged in, and refreshments were served. Mr. H. Kow was the M. C. and was accorded a hearty vote of thanks at the conclusion of the programme.

### FRENCH NAVAL POLICY

READY TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

WORRIED BY GERMANY

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Paris, Nov. 26.

France will not recoil from the financial sacrifices that may be imposed upon her by the necessity of arming to meet a possible menace from the six pocket-battleships which Germany plans to construct, and to answer any challenge which may be forthcoming in the Mediterranean, declares M. Stern, rapporteur on the Navy Ministry credits which are before the Chamber of Deputies.

Nevertheless, France will willingly attend the London Naval Conference in 1935, for despite the insufficiencies often ascribed to naval treaties they had the merit of limiting armaments efficiently for long periods.

France's naval expenditure in the coming year, he said, would be practically the same as in 1934.

Meanwhile, as an answer to Germany's pocket battleships, the French have laid down another big warship, the 26,000-ton Strasbourg.—Reuter Special.

MORE HOUSES

EXTENSIVE BUILDING AT HOME

London, Nov. 26.

The total number of houses built in England and Wales during the six months ended September 30, 1934, was 156,463.

The number for the corresponding period of 1933 was 113,382.

(British Wireless)



These prominent delegates to the three-power naval talks in London spend an occasional week-end at golf, when fleet ratios and problems of diplomacy are forgotten. They are Sir John Simon, British Foreign Secretary, Mr. Norman Davis, chief American delegate, and Admiral William Staney, U.S. Chief of Naval Operations.

### ROYALTY FLOCKS TO LONDON

### COLOURFUL PREPARATION FOR PRINCE'S WEDDING

London, Nov. 26.

Not since pre-war days have so many members of Royal families been present together in London.

To-night the first of the official festivities in connection with the Royal Wedding was held at Buckingham Palace when the King and Queen gave a dinner party to the Royal visitors. Three ruling Monarchs, King George, King Christian of Denmark and King Haakon of Norway were at head of the table and altogether 98 guests were present.

### HARVEY-NEUSEL FIGHT DRAWN

### Twelve Rounds In Wembley Ring

London, Nov. 26.

Len Harvey, the British heavyweight, fought twelve rounds to a draw with the German invader, Walter Neusel to-night.

The fight was hard from start to finish and there was little between the two men at any time. Both men fought skilfully, Harvey making use of long lefts and boxing prettily.—Reuter.



A considerable crowd watched their arrival—indeed, popular interest in the wedding personalities is so great that Buckingham Palace and York House have their crowds of varying sizes from early morning until late at night, and on the wedding day the road and rail excursions from the provinces are expected to bring several hundred thousands of extra spectators to London.

This morning's crowd at Buckingham Palace was rewarded for its patience by a sight of King Haakon and the King and Queen of Denmark and by the arrival of all eight bridesmaids who visited Princess Marina to talk over the wedding plans.

### MANY GIFTS

At York House the Duke of Kent received many delegations from different public bodies and diplomatic representatives of various countries bearing presents. The Prime Minister and the Cabinet are presenting the Duke with a study writing table and chair, a fine example of modern British craftsmanship.

Many London thoroughfares are already decked for the wedding.

Princess Marina left Buckingham Palace for a drive this evening and called at York House to see Prince George. To-morrow there will be rehearsals of the wedding ceremonies at the Abbey in the morning and at the Palace in the afternoon. The second ceremony will take place in a private chapel at the Palace and the rehearsal will apply to the Greek Orthodox Church ceremony to be held there after the Duke of Kent and his bride return from Westminster Abbey.—British Wireless.

TYPHOON WARNING

The Manila Observatory, reporting at 3 a.m. today, states that there is a typhoon in about 130 Long. 9 Lat. moving west.

This is the latest in-life-saving device, "the 1934 life buoy," in which a man is protected against cold and wet. It is said to be unsinkable and will not capsize.

### NEW TRADE PACTS FOR BRITAIN

London, Nov. 26.

Negotiations for the conclusion of a trade agreement with Great Britain are proceeding with Poland, Uruguay and Turkey, stated Colonel Colville, in the House of Commons to-day.

He added that discussions about protective duties are taking place with India, and possibilities for an arrangement of limited scope with Italy are being explored.

A convention covering a number of matters normally dealt with under commercial treaties are also being discussed with France.—British Wireless.

### TRAMP SHIPPING SUBSIDY

### FINANCIAL MOTION THIS WEEK

London, Nov. 26.

The Prime Minister stated in the House of Commons that the necessary financial resolution to enable the Government to give effect to the proposals for the assistance of tramp shipping will be introduced this week.—British Wireless.



### JAPAN TYPHOON RELIEF PLAN

#### NEW NAMES FOR WARSHIPS

#### King Approves Of Change

London, Nov. 26. With H.M. the King's approval, cruisers of the "M" class, which it was intended to name after mythological monsters, are instead to be called after famous cities.

Two ships of the 1933 programme, Polyphemus and Minotaur, will be renamed the Southampton and Newcastle, and the three ships of the 1934 programme will be named the Birmingham, Glasgow and Sheffield.—British Wireless.

#### DIET IN SPECIAL SESSION

#### SEIYUKAI PARTY TO ATTACK

#### INSINCERITY ALLEGED

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Tokyo, Nov. 27.

At 11 a.m. this morning the Diet convened for a special session to discuss plans for the relief of large areas stricken by the recent typhoon, which took hundreds of lives and left thousands homeless. Enormous crop areas were also destroyed.

The Emperor officially convened the session, and after the formal ceremonies the Diet adjourned until to-morrow, when the first business will be held.

The powerful Seiyukai Party is reported to be preparing to attack the Government for alleged insincerity in its programme for the relief of agricultural village populations.

The Minseito Party, almost equally powerful in the Diet, at a caucus to-day, agreed to give the Government of Premier Okada its fullest support.—United Press.

### SOVIET BID FOR WORLD'S COTTON TRADE

#### ESTABLISHING BIG FACTORIES

Moscow, Nov. 26.

The Soviet authorities are planning the widespread enlargement of the cotton textile industry.

One big plant has already been built in Western Siberia and others are in the process of construction. These are all in the Central Asiatic provinces.

A group of seven Soviet cotton manufacturing experts is leaving for England shortly in order to study the cotton textile trade with a view to purchasing machinery and engaging technical aid.

The group is also planning to visit mills in Germany and the United States.—Reuter.

#### EFFORTS AT STABILISATION

#### U.S. FLIRTS WITH SOUTH AMERICA

Washington, Nov. 26.

It is reported here that important stabilisation negotiations are under way with countries other than Britain, mainly with Latin America, where possibilities are said to be good. Washington is looking to South America for trade expansion.

The Administration is not contemplating any further change in the gold value of the U.S. dollar. The Stabilisation Fund is converting its acquisition of all foreign currencies into gold or silver.

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**WOMAN SENTENCED TO DEATH**
**LINCOLN ASSIZES CASE**
**SCENES AT TRIAL**

Mrs. Ethel Lillie Major, aged 42, of Kirkby-on-Bain, near Horncliffe, was sentenced to death at Lincoln Assizes for the murder of her 44-year-old husband, Arthur Major, lorry driver, whom she poisoned with strichine.

The jury, in which there were three women, recommended her to mercy. Knowing that a verdict would be reached, crowds gathered outside the court an hour before the proceedings were due to begin. They were kept in a queue outside the gates to the grounds of Lincoln Castle, where the Assize was held.

The gates were opened half an hour before the hearing was resumed and then people in the waiting crowd raced 100 yards across the Castle quadrangle to the court house in their efforts to get front seats in the public gallery.

Mr. Justice Charles began his summing up by referring to the part that circumstantial evidence played in the case.

"But," he said, "sometimes circumstantial evidence goes more truly to establish a case than evidence that is direct."

He said that the jury might think it a misfortune that they had not the evidence Mrs. Major might have given upon her oath before them.

Mr. Norman Birkett, K.C., who defended, called no evidence for the defence.

**SON'S ORDEAL**

Then the judge examined the evidence in detail and dealing with the statements given by Laurence Major, Mrs. Major's 16-year-old son, he said: "He had the terrible ordeal of giving evidence on a charge of this sort against his very mother."

The judge drew the jury's attention to the statements which Mrs. Major had made to the police.

"You gather from those statements that she hated her husband," he said. "It is clear that they not only quarrelled with one another, but were capable of violence towards one another."

"In the statements of Mrs. Major there are inconsistencies, some of which you may think would have been more satisfactorily explained or elucidated by the evidence of the prisoner herself."

During the summing up Mrs. Major fainted. She had been sitting in the dock, when she slumped forward. A wardress prevented her from crashing to the floor. She was attended by a doctor, and recovered in a few minutes.

Mr. Justice Charles did not interrupt his summing up.

**PUZZLED**

The judge confessed himself "very puzzled" over the allegation by the Crown that Major had a second and fatal dose of strichine on May 24—the day he died.

He pointed out that strichine was very bitter in taste, and that if the second dose was in the glass of water that Major drank, then that small bulk of water had to contain a quantity of strichine which, according to the medical evidence, would require 2½ pints of water to dissolve it.

"It is very puzzling—really puzzling," commented the judge. "One casts about in one's mind about how the second dose could happen. It is difficult to imagine

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**GOLD HUNTERS SET FREE**
**BUT COSTA RICA SEIZES GEAR**

The British treasure hunters who were arrested on Cocos Island and brought to Punta Arenas have been released.

The Costa Rica Government, however, is keeping all their equipment, which was confiscated as contraband.

The party is now returning to England by way of Panama.

They appeared in the local court in Punta Arenas, Costa Rica, and in accordance with the instructions of President Jiminez made a declaration that they were merely the servants of the company entitled Treasury Recovery, Limited, which had been formed in England to finance the expedition.

They were then informed that they might leave the country.

Mr. Stratford D. Jolly, one of the organisers of the party, testified in court that the expedition had never thought of attempting to place Coconis Island under the British flag. He had understood that permission to seek for treasure in the Island had been secured by the directors of the company before the expedition started.

**GETTING IDEAS.**

A party of professors from Liverpool University recently went on a journey of inspection through Germany to see the buildings and contents of the most renowned German libraries in order to gain experience for a projected new library in Liverpool. The first destination of this board of professors consisting of Senior Librarian W. Gurman Jones, Mr. Stanley Dumbell, Mr. Lionel B. Budden and the architect Harold A. Dodd, was Hamburg where they paid a visit of inspection to the State and University Libraries accompanied by the Director, Professor Dr. Wahl.

that you could administer things so frightfully bitter without the man expelling it directly."

The judge also referred to the question of the poisoned dog.

"That is another strange happening," he said. "Criminals do amazingly stupid things, but you may think that this was transcendental stupidity to go out into a place where everyone can see you, where a neighbour is looking at you, and scrape the meat off the plate and give it to this dog."

The summing-up lasted an hour and a half, and then the jury retired.

As they filed out of the court, the three women leading, Mrs. Major stood between the two wardresses, who supported her.

**THE JURY RETURNS**

The jury were absent just a little over an hour.

When Mrs. Major was brought up from the cells one glance at the jury seemed to convince her that her fate was sealed. She sobbed.

The foreman of the jury returned the verdict of Guilty, and added: "We also wish to express our view that a strong recommendation to mercy should be given to the prisoner."

Asked if she had anything to say, Mrs. Major replied: "I am innocent."

Mr. Justice Charles, with a falter in his voice, passed sentence of death.

The chaplain said "Amen," and then Mrs. Major broke down completely. Her wailing could be heard in the corridors outside the court.

She was carried out on the

Sentences of death were carried out in the following cases:—1900, Louis Masset; murder of her son; Newgate.

1900, Ada Williams; murder of her son; Newgate.

1903, Annie Walters and Amelia Sachs; baby farming murders; Holloway.

1903, Emily Swann (with her lover, John Gallagher) at Womwell for murdering Emily Swann's husband.

1907, Mrs. Leslie James, alias Rhoda Willis; baby farming murderer; Cardiff.

1923, Mrs. Thompson, of Ilford (with Bywaters), for the murder of her husband, at Holloway.

The last woman to be executed in this country was Mrs. Louie Calvert for the murder of Mrs. Warehouse, her landlady. She was executed at Strangeways, Manchester, in 1926.

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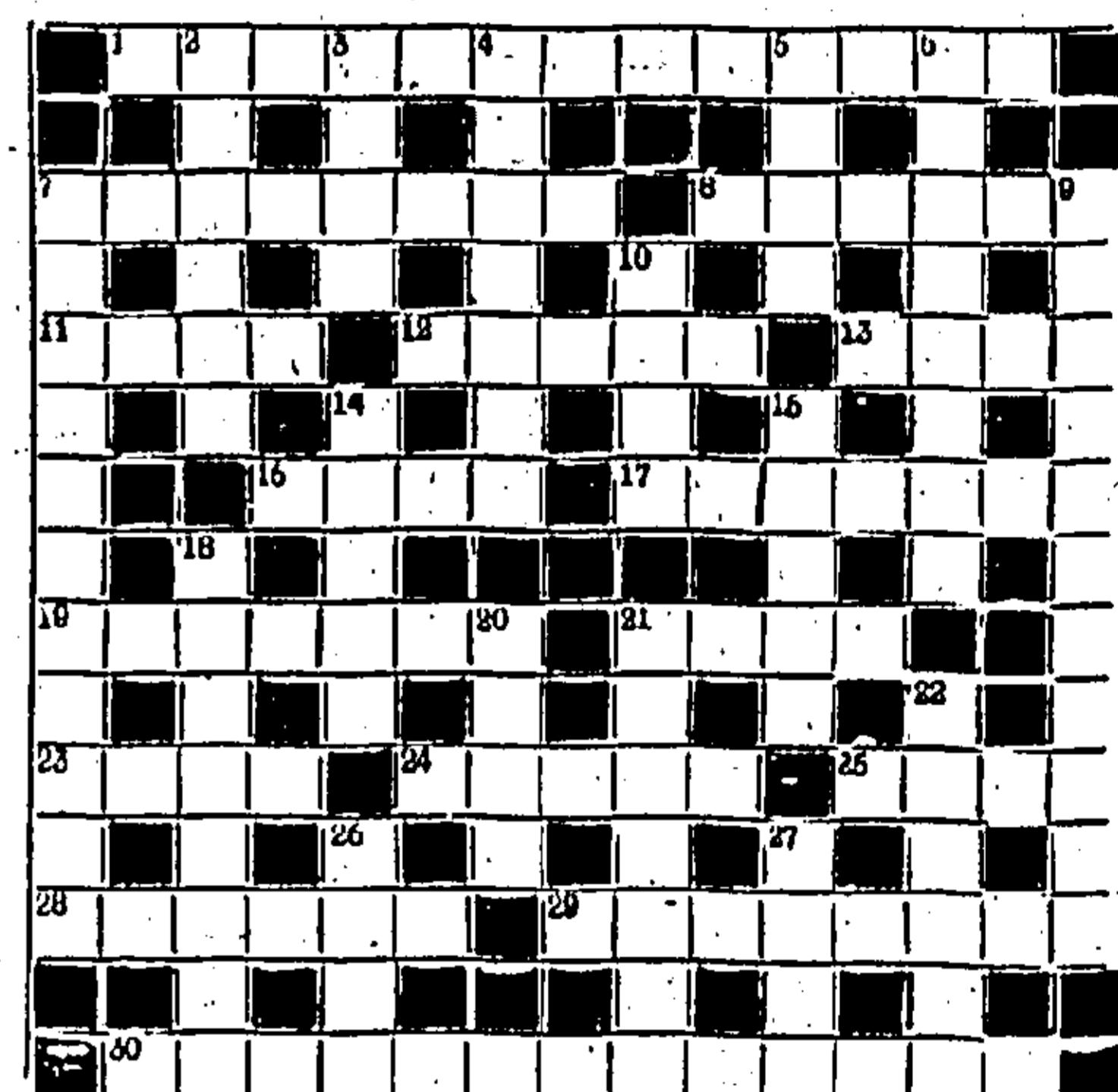


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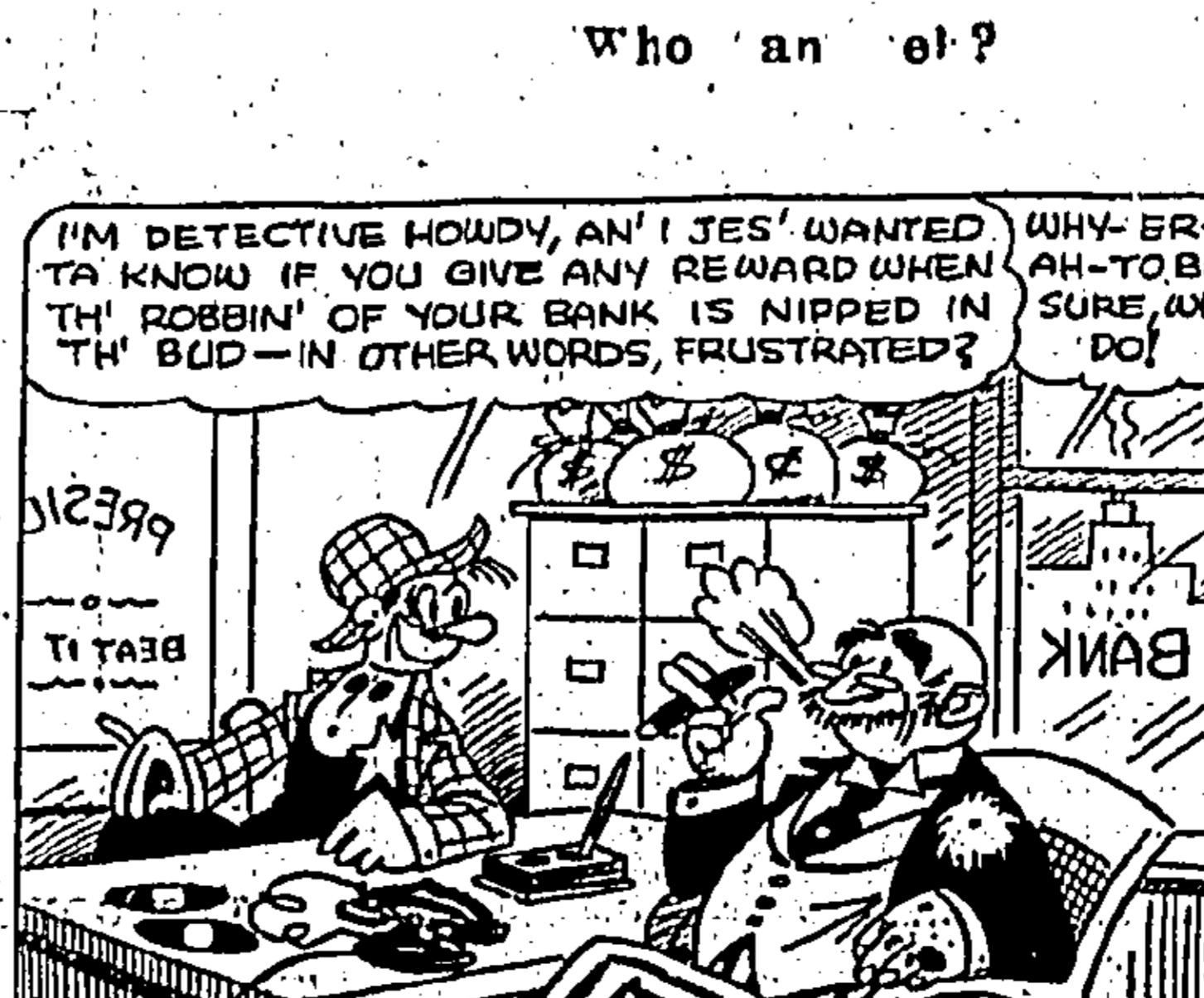
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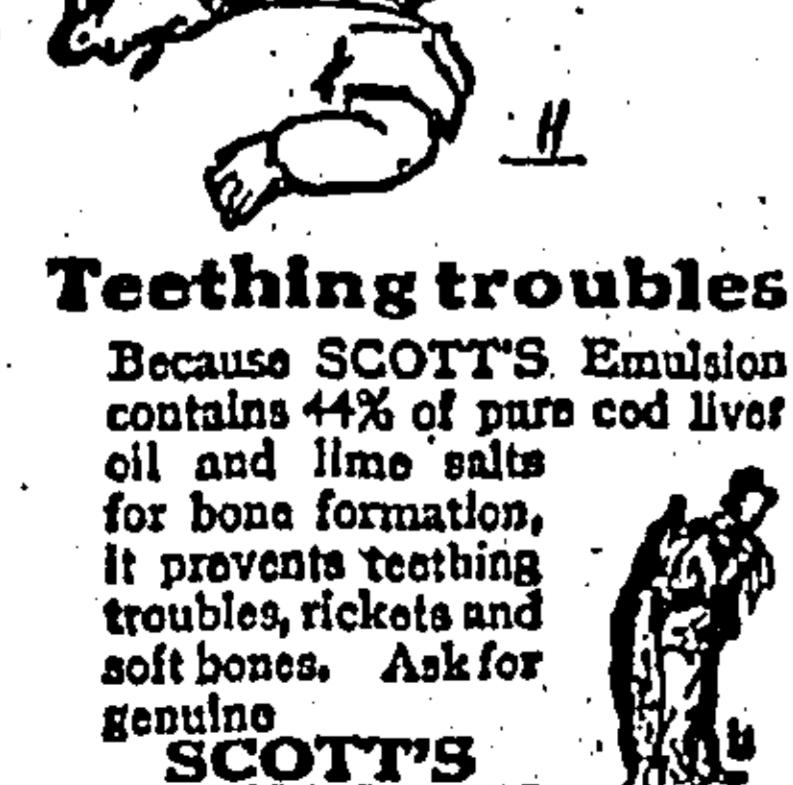
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## BIRD IMMIGRANTS IN BRITAIN

**FROM A CORRESPONDENT**

In a West of England garden, high up on the ridge of a hill, in an exposed position, was a very large aviary containing a variety of the hardy kinds of foreign birds. Most of them had come out of tiny cages, and because their owner loved them a large place was set aside for them where they would have, as far as possible, natural conditions.

In this wired-in sanctuary there were tall trees, birch, poplar, may, lime, and different kinds of conifers. There were also thick, low-growing bushes of stellaria, juniper, box, dogwood, veronica, and escallonia, making a thicker of undergrowth between the trees which opened out to a wide space, grass-sown, and planted with flowers. Here was a tiny rock garden and a large shallow bath of rugged stone sheltered by thickly growing moonthorn, the base of it overgrown with blue campanula. A little path led to the bird house, the pigeonhole of which stood always open, night and day.

All the birds became acclimated, and after a few years they returned to their wild state and would not roost under any roof. Early in the autumn of last year several sacks of heather were brought in and piled up between the bushes, making an almost impenetrable thicket some 2ft. or 3ft. deep. In this they roosted through bitter cold, ice, snow, frost, fog, and heavy rains without coming to the least harm. Not one was sick or sorry. Early in the spring they began to think about building and were supplied with hay, straw, and combed-out clean hair of white dogs, ends of coloured knitting wool, moss, and hair. Very thin twigs and more substantial ones were scattered on the ground, but as a rule the birds preferred to select and peck off twigs from the trees and heather.

### CARDINALS' HOME.

A pair of green cardinals were the first to go to nest. They hatched and reared six strong young birds, of which the cock particularly was inordinately proud. Their nest was closely woven, beautifully made of twigs and moss and lined with dogs' hair and coloured wool. They built it high up in the top of a fir tree, but pulled the first nest to pieces and built another with the same materials for their second family.

A pair of red-crested cardinals built a boat-shaped nest entirely of very fine heather twigs in the middle of a may tree. It was unlined and quite transparent, although evidently very strong, for it weathered some rough winds. At half-past 5 or thereabouts on a warm spring morning the cock would take his hen's place on the nest and sit there singing joyously to himself, while she hunted for spiders and grubs, or preened her feathers in the sun before flying to the bird table for seed. Weavers of various kinds in the aviary were hardly expected to breed, but one morning, sitting in a row along a ruddy dogwood twig, were three or four tiny youngsters, impudent and fully fledged, the first of several later broods. No one ever discovered where the nests were that they came from, but one day someone found a lovely weaver's nest closely woven of long grass and slung like a pochette between four tall Shasta daisy blossoms. It was quite beautiful and unlike the toy nests that these little birds so often make.

### THE EXPERIMENT

Spring passed into summer, and it was then decided to try an experiment. The sides of the aviary were taken down and all the birds were allowed to go free. Would they stay on in the garden, or would they disappear? They were hardy enough to survive the winter, and they were not likely to be caught or shot in that neighbourhood, but they would still have to be fed; and herein lies a difficulty, for there are many wild British bird friends who take it as their right to share all and 'everything' that is put out for the foreigners, which makes feeding a very expensive business.

It is several weeks ago now since they were set completely free, and they have not gone away, but still live in the garden and in an adjoining garden; but in the late summer they returned to the aviary to build and even brought building materials there from the fields. The weavers have chummed up with a flock of chaffinches and they always fly together. The green and red crested cardinals keep themselves more to themselves, though they are perfectly friendly with the wild birds too. It is a very pretty sight to see them feeding out of the same seed pan with the blue tits and yellowhammers, and to watch the gorgeously feathered orange bishops and Napoleons swinging on the sunflowers, or pecking seed among a crowd of green-finches and chaffinches.

### IMPROVED BY EXILE.

One thing is noticeable: all the foreign birds have improved in condition, are far stronger on the wing, and have grown in size since they have had their freedom. They are still partial to mealworms and come for them to a whistle from any part of the garden, but the cardinals all go wild worm-hunting with the thrushes and blackbirds. Dishes of seed are kept always in the aviary and in different parts of the garden, also bread sopped in milk and squeezed almost dry, which the young birds devour greedily.

The amusing part of the experiment is this, that the wild birds seem to prefer the aviary to the garden, for two pairs of robins, a wren, several greenfinches, and three thrushes have taken up permanent residential quarters there. And if there is a storm, or much rain, or fog, it is always found full of foreigners once more. It is hoped that they will naturalize and that perhaps in the future there may be new hybrids among British wild birds.

### GERMANY TALKS ON THE AIR

To the South-West of Berlin a new German wireless station is now in construction which is to be the biggest in Germany. According to the plans of the German Reich Post Office which is responsible for German wireless the new station should be finished in about two years. The aerials are to be erected in quite a new way. Seven masts each 775 feet high are to be erected so that they form a circle in the middle of which is the central mast. This method is considered to be the secret of a perfect wave radiation.

## AMERICA'S AERIAL DEFENCES

### STRONG FORCE OF FIGHTERS

### MOBILITY AN ESSENTIAL

Washington, Nov. 10. The war department is planning an aerial defence for America comprehensive enough to repel attack from any quarter.

This is to be accomplished through organisation of the new general headquarters air force, under direct command of the Chief of Staff of the Army. This new air armada is to be capable of repelling the most determined invasion of hostile air forces, and mobile enough to be concentrated in any part of the United States within three or four days of the sounding of a general alarm.

The plan was announced at almost the same moment Brigadier General William Mitchell was charging before the Federal Aviation Commission that military aircraft development was being frustrated by "boy scouts" in the War Department.

The General Headquarters Air Force is to consist, for the present, of some 450 fighting planes—bombers, pursuit and attack ships—concentrated at seven or eight army

air fields stretching from coast to coast. The formation of this air force, according to members of the General Staff, means that Americans everywhere may look forward without fear of seeing the wings of foreign air raiders.

### 48 UNITS

The plan was announced by the Secretary of War, Mr. George H. Dern, who orders the grouping of practically all the serviceable army planes into 48 combat units.

The General Headquarters Air Force will be counted upon to repel hostile air attacks, keep attacking warships at bay until the navy can arrive on the scene, and hold the first line of national defence generally until ground forces can be mobilised.

Putting the plan into execution at this time affords the general staff an opportunity to even a number of old scores, in addition to giving the country the most formidable fighting air force it has ever possessed.

It is calculated to weaken, if not to silence, the proponents of the "separate air force service" comprising the air forces of both the U.S. Army and Navy, and to head off a possible recommendation of the Federal Aviation Commission for creation of a separate air force.

### MORE CONTROL

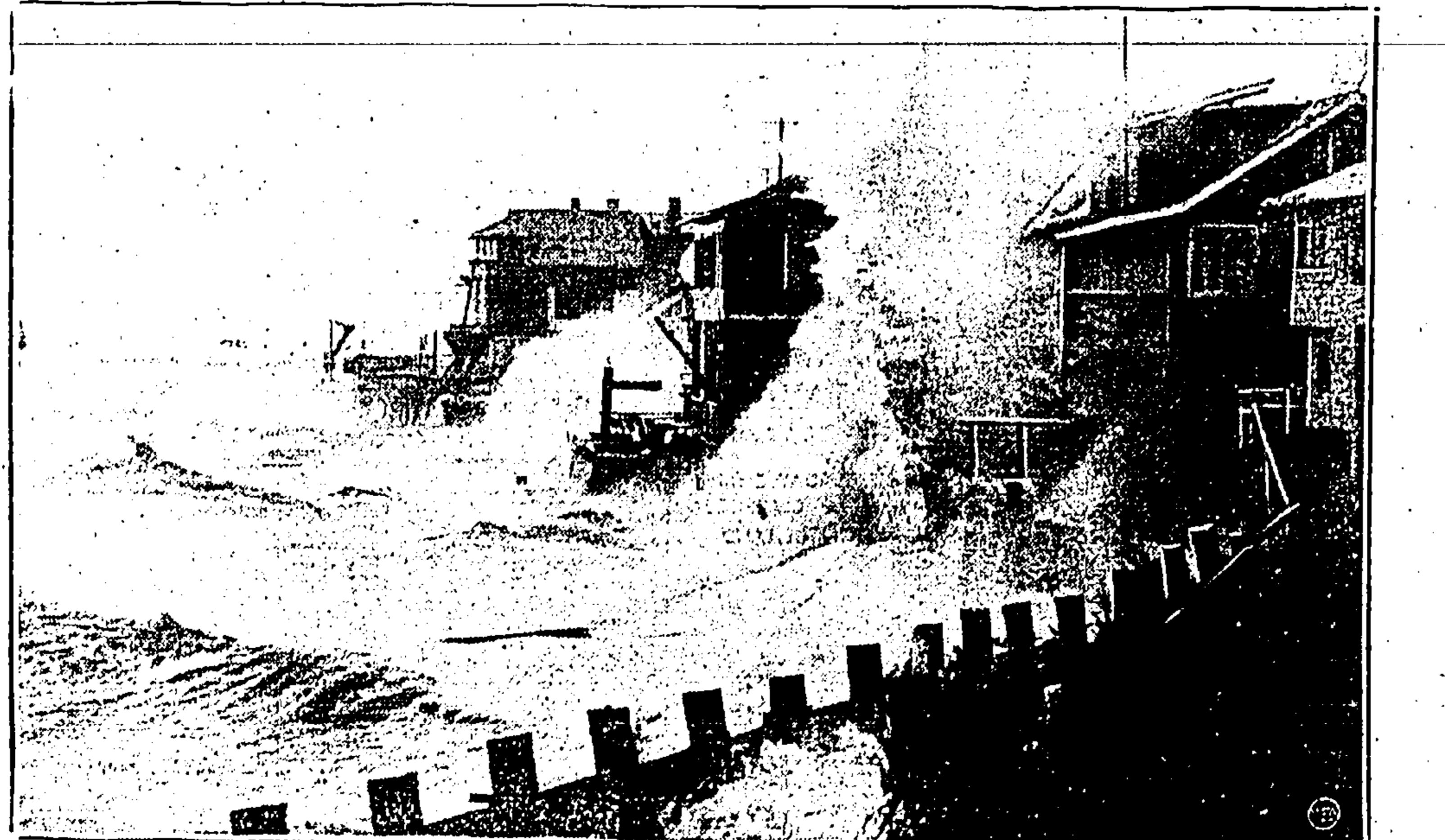
The plan also strengthens the control of the General staff over the army air corps.

The General staff thereby pays off Major General Benjamin D. Fulio, chief of air corps for past criticism by limiting the scope and

authority of his office to supervision over servicing of planes and the operation of air depots and air corps schools. Gen. Fulio publicly favoured the creation of a separate army and navy air force.

Mr. Mitchell, one of the most outspoken of the army's air policy critics, recently recommended to the Aviation Commission the building of a fleet of 60 dirigibles, flanked by bombing planes able to cruise long distances and "capable of attacking Japan."

"Japan is our most dangerous enemy," he said.—United Press.



A new library for Cambridge University.

Beating with terrific force against sea walls and hurling spray higher than the two-storey houses along Beach Drive in Seattle, Wash., these gale-lashed seas thundered in from Puget Sound, the cameraman snapping this vivid picture as a wave broke with tremendous force against the barrier. Small boats were pounded to bits by the battering billows and the fragments tossed high on the shore.

The gales reaching a velocity of 70 miles an hour, took a toll of 17 lives and caused enormous property damage.



At the Lyceum Theatre, Shanghai, on Armistice night, a striking tableau, the "Spirit of the Navy," was presented in connection with a popular concert. Mr. Morris W. Stranack, at Lord Nelson, with ranks of the Royal Navy, is depicted here as in the tableau, which was well presented.

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J. T. RAGRAM,  
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## THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB NOTICE.

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The aviator, who is accompanied by Sgt. A. J. Goncalves Lohrto, will take off from Macao on Monday for Hanol. He will fly to Portuguese India, en route to Portugal.

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The aviators, speaking of their reception at Hongkong, expressed themselves as being charmed with the cordial welcome accorded to them by the Portuguese community there.—Our Own Correspondent.

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ALL MEMBERS are cordially invited to attend and participate in any discussion which may ensue.

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## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

## LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter. British Government Securities Nov. 23, Nov. 24.

War Loan 3½% redm. after 1952 £106½ £106½

Chinese Bonds

4½% Bonds 1898	£102½	£102½
Eng. Inv. 1908	£ 94½	£ 98½
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5% Tientsin-Pukow Ry.	£ 26	£ 26
5% Tientsin-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 21	£ 21
5% Shai-Huchow Ningpo Ry.	£ 100½	£ 100½
5% Honan Ry.	£ 25	£ 25
5% Hukung Ry. 1911	£ 41	£ 41½
5% Lung Tsing U. Hail Ry. 1913	£ 15½	£ 15½

Foreign Bonds and Banks

German 7½ Int. Long 1924	£ 56½	£ 57½
City of Osaka 5½ Sterling Loan 1931	£ 91	£ 91
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 92½	£ 91½
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Chinese Eng. and Min. (Beaver) 10/— 19/6

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Courtaulds 47/10½ 47/—

Distillers 94/6 94/0

Dunlop Rubber 49/6 49/3

Eveready 6/— sh. 27/6 27/1½

General Electric (England) 40/— 40/—

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Impl. Chem. Ind. 37/4½ 37/1½

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Shai Elec. Contr. 53/— 53/—

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Electric Musical Industries 30/4½ 30/9

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Anglo-Persian 44/4½ 43/9

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He is survived by his wife, who was in Riga at the time of his death. Mrs. Carleton, during her husband's stay in the Colony, played an important role in the Colony's social affairs.

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## DEATH OF MR. A. E. CARLETON

## FORMER U.S. CONSUL IN HONGKONG

The death occurred recently in Riga, Latvia, of Mr. Algar E. Carleton, former Consul of the United States in Hongkong.

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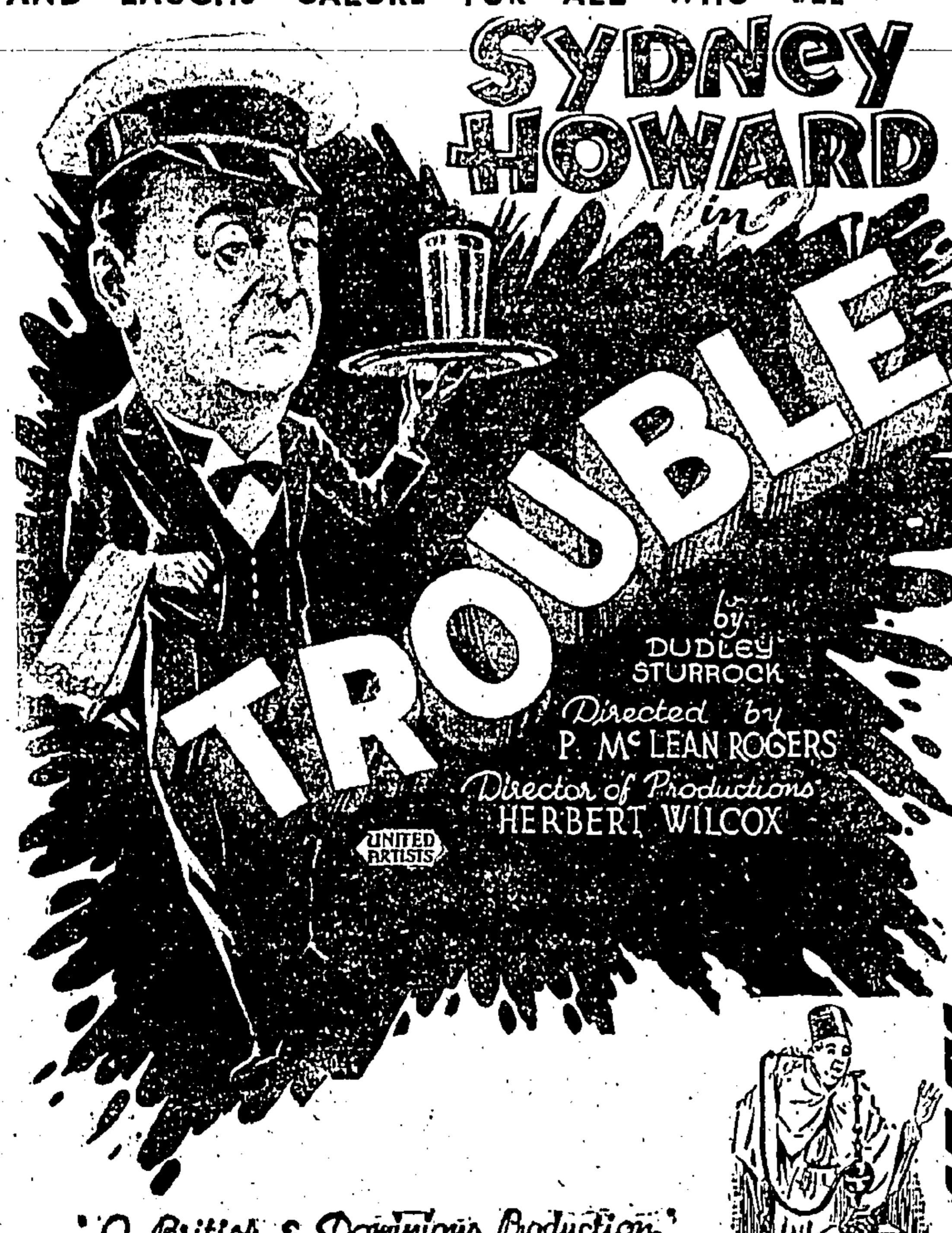
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### CINEMA NEWS

#### NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

"Just Smith," showing from tomorrow at the Queen's Theatre, sparkles with wit and laughter from beginning to end. It is one of Frederick Lonsdale's brightest stories and gives Tom Walls an excellent role as a light-fingered crook, who likes the ladies but prefers to collect their superfluous wealth. Tom Walls is in his best form, his racy wit and delightful innocence placing him as one of the finest personality-actors in British studios. We see him as Smith, a mystery man, mixing with the "best people" on the Riviera and soon appreciate his interest in their wealth. His fellow conspirator, Mr. Mortimer, is a suave, well-do man with a yacht (part splendidly played by Hartley Power) and they invite a rich American sib and her daughter to stay aboard their yacht, with a good sprinkling of titles. The daughter (delightfully played by Carol Goodwin) instead of falling for the title so charitably caught by her mother, falls in love with Smith. Although in love with her, Smith determines to get her mother's bonds and to that end, realising that he cannot hope to marry the girl, persuades her that she had better marry her mother's choice, the Duke of Bristol. She gets engaged aboard the yacht and a grateful mother invites the two crooks to stay at her country house. There the fun begins, particularly when a valuable necklace is stolen and Smith, although innocent, is suspected. The subtlety of the dialogue is refreshing and the film has been produced by Tom Walls with all his talent for English light-comedy. Carol Goodwin, Anne Grey, Veronica Rose, Eva Moore, Peter Hawthorne and Reginald Gardiner all contribute fine performances.

#### "Trouble"

Sydney Howard, the great comedian and star of British and Dominion Films, is at the same time one of the biggest individual attractions on the London stage, and one of its hardest workers. Prior to his recent illness Mr. Howard regularly did a day's work before the camera in the British and Dominion studio, and then played his part at the theatre at night. No actor has had a better chance of contrasting fun-making on stage and screen. Whilst he was making "Trouble," the film which is coming to the King's Theatre on Wednesday, he was asked if he didn't find the complete want of the atmosphere of the theatre令人感到失望。He replied that the audience was very good and that the film was well received. "It doesn't seem to worry me," he said. "It certainly is comforting to hear a bit of laughter; it gives you the feeling that you are successfully getting your effects. It warms you up and may give you just the right stimulation to produce a great performance. But I've become so used to the atmosphere of the studio by now that nothing can bother me." Picturegoers laugh at things which would be greeted with silence in the theatre. I think the reason is that the screen gives a closer view, so that no expression is lost. A cinema audience has the best possible chance to see comedian's eyes, for example, and much comic expression resides in the eyes. "Life in the Raw."

Greta Nissen's leg will have been on the screen in a dance for the first time in two years when George O'Brien's "Life In The Raw" which will be seen at the Oriental Theatre on Tuesday and Wednesday. Two years ago Miss Nissen, Norway's most beautiful contribution to motion pictures, did a brief dance in "Women Of All Nations" with Victor McLaglen and Edmund Lowe. In Zane Grey's "Life In The Raw," she does a toe dance of the kind that she brought the actress her first theatrical fame. In this picture the dance is done in a swanky border resort. Claire Trevor, late of Broadway, appears opposite O'Brien, with Alan Edwards.

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Warner Richmond, Gaylord Pendleton, Francis Ford and others in the supporting roles. "Hide Out."

By virtue of its complete charm, good humour and romance "Hide Out" the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture having its final showings to-day at the Queen's Theatre is not only good but it's clean and has a little bit of everything in it to entertain the whole family. Briefly the story concerns the regeneration of a hard-boiled racketeer who is forced into the country for the first time in his life when things get too hot for the big city to hold him. In the country he meets THE girl and learns about farming and love. Not only learns about them but learns to like them so much that, when the law finally catches up with him, it is understood that he will return to the city and be a better man for it. In the capable hands of writers Goodrich and Hatchett, who have the knack of telling such things up by their bootstraps and making you like them, and with the direction of Van Dyke, who makes a habit of good pictures, there is an air of spontaneity and realism that makes the picture worthwhile going to see. Robert Montgomery is really delightful as the racketeer and Maureen O'Sullivan is quite perfect as the girl. Between them they make the country a very nice place indeed. And the comedy of the picture is in the reliably capable hands of Elizabeth Patterson and Mickey Rooney, who turn in performances that make you hope every one will see them. Edward Arnold as the detective and Edward Brophy as his side kick bolster up the support no end and C. Henry Gordon, Whitford, and others do excellent work, each deserving special attention.

#### "Jungle Trap"

Charles Laughton, Carole Lombard, Charles Bickford and Kent Taylor have the leading roles in "Jungle Trap," the Paramount Screen romance now showing at the King's Theatre. A story of the Malaya jungles, written by Norman Reilly Raine and Frank Butler, the picture was directed by Stuart Walker, well known stock director. Shunned by society and maliciously persecuted by gossips and slander, Carole Lombard seeks forgetfulness in a half-caste cafe in Malaya. Directed by Laughton, coarse, vulgar over-lord of a "hell-hole" settlement in the jungle, she is forced to marry him to escape deportation and goes "up the river" to his house-boat home. Here this hive of hate and murder, surrounded by treacherous natives and "woman-stomping" jungle trap, she meets Kent Taylor, fear-filled deserter from the British army, who has lost his way in this legion of the dimmed.

#### "I've Got Your Number"

Glenda Farrell, famous play girl of the screen, has appeared in a role to which no mountebank could be attached. In the Warner Bros. picture "I've Got Your Number," which opens to-day at The Alhambra Theatre, she has the role of a clairvoyant, giving sentences by means of loud speakers and trick wires to fool a callid public. Her racket is exposed by the "buttsky" of a telephone trouble shooter, a part played by Pat O'Brien. "I may be phoney in this picture," said Glenda, "but at least for once my morals are not in question and that's something."

#### "Jimmy the Gent"

Alice White now knows what adding insult to injury means. After waiting for months for a honeymoon, she was called back to Warner Bros. Studios the day after her wedding, to go into

the picture "Jimmy the Gent," coming to the Alhambra on Friday, with James Cagney and Betty Davis in leading roles. That, she thought, was injury enough. The first day she returned she walked on the set in make-up and costume ready to work, and Director Michael Curtiz ordered her to take off her new wedding ring. Alice, who can express herself with eclat and abandon, told the director a few things. She wasn't ever going to take off that ring, much less take it off the second day after it was put

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on. A diplomatic property boy rushed in with a huge dime-store garnet, which was placed over the tell-tale band, and Alice went on with her portrayal of an unmarried girl. In "Jimmy the Gent," she's the sweetheart of Allen Jenkins, a stooge for Cagney who reaches phoniest hours to purloin themselves in order to win unclaimed inheritance. The picture is based on a rollicking comedy romance by Laird Dougla and Ray Nazarro, adapted by Bertram Milhauser.

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**SILVER SMUGGLING PROBLEM**

Shanghai is again the centre of rumours regarding possible further measures by the Chinese Government to protect its currency. The outflow of silver still continues, despite the embargo, and there is now talk of a possible announcement banning the conversion of banknotes into silver. This, however, is denied by the Ministry of Finance. But whatever further action, if any, is to be taken, it is apparent that a serious drain on currency persists. Figures just published show that from January to October over \$212,000,000 worth of silver was exported from Shanghai, of which over \$42,000,000 worth relates to the month of October alone. Since then, silver has been pouring out of the country, in defiance of the embargo. Indeed, the smuggling which has been taking place, and which still continues, must represent a colossal sum. The plain fact, of course, is that the embargo is actually defeating its avowed purpose. As a result of the restrictions, there is such a disparity between silver values in China and those abroad that it is a paying proposition to export the metal. This explains the smuggling, in which, it is believed, there is considerable connivance on the part of provincial officials. Despite the vigilance of the Customs authorities, who are naturally quite unable to cover every point of egress, silver is every day leaving the country in large amounts. If the process persists, the consequences must be disastrous. Matters have now reached such a stage that a strong doubt must exist in official circles as to the wisdom of the embargo measures. From a currency protection standpoint, these measures, as we have shown, are proving useless. Abandonment of the embargo would, at any rate, make outward smuggling less profitable. From this standpoint, there is a great deal to be said for the viewpoint of those who contend that there should be no interference with the free movement of silver. Mr. E. Kann, the noted authority on Chinese currency, is of this school of thought. He has suggested that much of the present evil is due to the fact that China imports such immense quantities of agricultural produce, and that if adequate steps were taken to render the country more self-supporting in this respect, the result would be to check the out-

flow of silver. Such a process, however, would of necessity be very slow in operation and could have no immediate effect on the situation. In spite of the undesirable reactions of high silver prices on China's exports, the fact remains that prior to the imposition of the embargo, the adverse balance of trade was gradually diminishing. Present currency restrictions may be helpful in hastening this process, but as against that fact has to be placed the seriousness of the continued drain of silver. Viewing the advantages and the disadvantages of the embargo, it is much to be doubted whether the former outweigh the latter. That it is defeating one of its main objects is apparent. The question for immediate consideration is what, if any, measures can be devised for dealing with what is without question the biggest currency crisis with which China has been faced for many years.

**NOTES OF THE DAY****LOST PRESTIGE**

While the diplomats of Europe watched Albania, newest of the post-War kingdoms, and the trend of that state towards an accord with Bulgaria and Yugo-Slavia and a possible political alliance against Italy as a consequence, Tirana, capital of the little kingdom, was plunged in sorrow. Albania to-day mourns for the Queen Mother, Sadie, of the family of the Princess of Toplitz in Tirana, great in the days of the Turkish regime. Her passing closes a book of high adventure and intrigue which, though rarely read, is none the less fascinating. The Queen Mother was a dominant figure. Her son, Ahmed Bey Zogu, President of Albania in 1928, was offered the title of Zog I, king of the Albanians, in September of that year. His mother, princess, urged him to accept. Thus she realized, after years of effort, an ambition of her life: she became a queen.

"You need have had no fear," said Carson, "for I should have pleaded guilty."

"Guilty!" said Mr. Asquith in astonishment.

"Yes," Carson replied, "I should have pleaded guilty and I should have said, 'My Lord Judge and gentlemen of the jury: I was born under the British flag, and loyal subject of His Majesty the King. So much do I value this birthright that I was even prepared to rebel in order to defend it. If to fight, so to remain like yourselves a loyal subject of His Majesty a crime, my Lord and gentlemen of the jury, I plead guilty.' And where," added Carson, "would you have been then?"

"That only shows," replied Asquith, "that I was even wiser than not prosecuting you than I thought I was."

The story is told in the second volume of the Life of Lord Carson. The author, Mr. Ian Colvin, has continued the work which was left unfinished by the tragic death of Mr. Edward Marjoribanks. He tells the story of Lord Carson from the time that he took up the leadership of Northern Ireland, until the outbreak of war.

In December, 1913, Lord Carson and Mr. Asquith, the Prime Minister, met in secret at the house of Mr. Edwin Montagu.

"In the absence of any record,"

Mr. Colvin writes, "I can only say that in Carson's recollection the conversation was 'general,' leading nowhere. He does, however, recall one passage, no doubt characteristic.

"I have no doubt, Mr. Prime Minister," said Carson, "you have thought out very carefully what you intend to do when they resist you Bill in Ulster, and when the first five hundred Ulstermen are shot down in Belfast . . ."

"My God," said Asquith, jumping up in alarm. "Five hundred! I tell you that if one Ulsterman was shot in such a struggle it would be a disaster of the first magnitude."

Attempts at negotiations failed, and, by March, 1914, troops were on the move:—

The Dorset Regiment, then quartered in the Victoria Barracks, Belfast, was ordered to be moved four miles out to Hollywood Barracks, where the Norfolk Regiment was already stationed. All stores and ammunition—thirty tons of them—were to be moved with the regiment, and such was the haste suggested that, were it thought

of the success of the undertaking.

"When Craig (now Lord Craigavon), following Carson, arrived at Eaton Place he found Lord Roberts rubbing his hands before the fire in the dining-room.

"I could not have done it better myself," the old soldier remarked as he left the house."

On July 20, 1914, the King called a conference at Buckingham Palace.

According to Mr. Colvin there was never any approach to agreement, but greater events intervened.

"The two furies of domestic and foreign war were running neck and neck," but when the crisis came,

the "inveterate antagonists, obeying the common instincts of the British race, formed front to meet a foreign foe."

**"UP, ULSTER!" TO MEET A FOREIGN FOE****FROM "THE LIFE OF LORD CARSON"**

LONG after the events in Ulster, which threatened to lead to civil war, Mr. Asquith and Lord Carson, the two antagonists in the struggle, talked the matter over. The two men had become reconciled by greater events. Mr. Asquith told Carson that he had never intended to prosecute him because he feared that he could not have secured conviction.

"You need have had no fear," said Carson, "for I should have pleaded guilty."

"Guilty!" said Mr. Asquith in astonishment.

"Yes," Carson replied, "I should have pleaded guilty and I should have said, 'My Lord Judge and gentlemen of the jury: I was born under the British flag, and loyal subject of His Majesty the King. So much do I value this birthright that I was even prepared to rebel in order to defend it. If to fight, so to remain like yourselves a loyal subject of His Majesty a crime, my Lord and gentlemen of the jury, I plead guilty.' And where," added Carson, "would you have been then?"

"That only shows," replied Asquith, "that I was even wiser than not prosecuting you than I thought I was."

Mr. Colvin tells an amazing story of how Sir Arthur Paget, General Officer Commanding in Ireland, made "one more desperate attempt to reconcile the obstinate scruples of his officers with the impulsive orders of the Secretary of State."

He gave what Mr. Colvin describes as "probably the most remarkable harangue ever delivered by an English Commander-in-Chief to the officers in his army."

He said that "He could not imagine why so many officers had resigned, because, though active operations were indeed intended against Ulster, he had no intention of carrying them out. . . ."

"Sir Arthur Paget tried another line of argument. It was not, he said, a soldier's job to indulge in sickly sentimentalism. He had anticipated only a few resignations on the part of religious fanatics, and these wholesale resignations would bring disgrace on famous regiments. . . ."

"Unconscious of his own contradictions, he proceeded to promise that the Ulstermen would be forced to fire the first shot. . . . There being still no response, he ended with an exasperated and illogical obfuscation against those dirty swine of politicians."

In April, 1914, 30,000 rifles were secretly landed at Larne. Carson and the late Lord Londonderry had gone over to London to await news of the success of the undertaking.

"When Craig (now Lord Craigavon), following Carson, arrived at Eaton Place he found Lord Roberts rubbing his hands before the fire in the dining-room.

"I could not have done it better myself," the old soldier remarked as he left the house."

On July 20, 1914, the King called a conference at Buckingham Palace.

According to Mr. Colvin there was never any approach to agreement, but greater events intervened.

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**The Very Sadie!****BUMB-BELLES LETTRES**

By Juliet Lowell

Burma-Shave Company,

Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Gentlemen:

Burma-Shave is great for shaving but it is better for a tooth paste.

However it makes too much lather for washing teeth as I will explain and ask you to find out if you have another grade with not so much lather.

The other day I said to myself if it makes my beard so soft it must be good for washing teeth if I do not swallow it so I tried it.

Just then my wife came in and when I tried to answer some fool question she asked me, the lather bubbled out of my mouth and my wife thought I had fits and ran from the house screaming to the neighbours.

It took me some time to explain to them what had happened.

I think if you would put out a Burma-Tooth Wash it would be a success if it did not lather too much.

Your Burma user to the end.

Casper M.

(signed)

**"Let's Talk About You"**

New York, N.Y.

October 30th, 1934.

Dr. George Kohut,  
1185 Park Avenue,  
New York, N.Y.

Dear George:

Thought you would like to hear that I am having grand success.

My room is literally laden with presents. My telephone is ringing morning, noon, and night. Everybody is inviting me to dinners and giving parties in my honour. People seem to know me and stop to stare. I attract attention wherever I go.

Even in the restaurants the waiters recognise me and the news of my presence spreads like wild-fire.

Well, I guess this is enough about me. Let's talk about you. How did you enjoy my book?

As Ever.

Ernest.

**From Home**

The latest fashion in Paris and London is for women to wearings with bare feet.

GOSSIP ITEM.

THE same day as I read this, I wandered into the salon of one of my Society friends and found a pretty "Dob" seated in front of the fire with her bare feet on the mantelpiece. On the fourth toe of her left foot was a gorgeous half-hoop diamond ring.

"No fun in being engaged unless you can show off the ring," she told me, shifting her foot to the chandelier and hanging head downwards. Then, dropping suddenly, she walked out on her hands past two snoring spinsters.

At this moment her fiance entered the room. I was surprised to note he was quite bald and wore a ring through his nose.

Man's Best Friend  
PICTURE me, strong, silent, and handsome, stretched out to my full 6ft. 4in. before roaring fire on a chill autumn evening. Stretched on the hearth beside me in Romeo, strong, silent and faithful, his big brown eyes staring up at me affectionately.

I began to read . . . a learned professor's lecture . . . the idea that the dog is man's best friend is moonshine . . . If they could tell us how they really regard us . . .

Romeo suddenly sat up and sneezed. "Quite right, too," he snarled, "what have I to thank you for? A fewousy biscuits and an occasional bone you've gnawed at yourself for a week."

"Really, Romeo, I never thought . . .

"Never thought, you smug hypocrite. Don't I know it. I mouch around here all day, then at night, every night, it's that eternal senseless walk . . . always at five minutes before the pubs close and always round the same measly houses. Why can't you read me a little poetry, now and then, or play me a Beethoven symphony, or even discuss big political issues like the House of Lords reform?"

"But, Romeo, I hadn't any idea you . . .

## HARRY ORE'S PUPILS' CONCERT

### Good Piano Work Last Night

Harry Ore's piano pupils' concert used to be an annual event. Then he left us for two years but fortunately he is with us once again, and yesterday's concert at the Holand May Institute proved that he is developing some very promising talent among the Chinese.

It is a melancholy fact that there are scarcely any budding pianists among the British community here. Out of ten performers on yesterday's programme, one was French and nine were Chinese. Young China is rapidly developing appreciation of Western classical music, but so far most of its interest is centred on the piano. Except in the many cases where the executants' hands are too small for really efficient piano work, there is evidence of a marked adaptability to the instrument, their fingers being particularly flexible and their touch sensitive. Some reveal true musical understanding and musicianship.

At yesterday's concert we had the opportunity of hearing a young Chinese male pianist, quite an unusual event in Hongkong. This was Mr. Clement Leong, whose musical and virtuoso rendering of the first movement of Beethoven Sonata showed remarkable promise. He had the strength and larger hands which place him at an advantage over the young ladies, nearly all of whom have this obstacle to overcome.

Miss Tao Kit-nan gave an effective and melodious performance of Liszt's *Liederstrasse* and a Bach Fugue, the former being played from memory. Miss Ethel Barker, too, showed musical understanding in a Chopin Polonaise.

Mrs Ma Si-leung is of stronger build and is technically very proficient already; in time she will be a very good player. Miss Bella Ma is a sister of Daisy Ma (now Mrs. Yuen), who is the most musical Chinese girl. Mr. Ore has numbered amongst his pupils. She used to be a regular performer at his concerts and they seem to be incomplete without her. Her younger sister is less musically developed but shows promise and there is no reason at all why she should not take Daisy Ma's place one day as a "star" pupil.

Another cultured Chinese girl pianist was Miss Mary Hsu, who previously studied at the Shanghai Conservatoire. Her playing of *The Lark* by Gluck-Balakireff was a beautiful piece of work. Miss Lee Chi-ying also played two pieces by Beethoven and Mendelssohn very creditably. The Misses V. and I. Lam, in a piano duet, overcame all the technical difficulties in spite of their tiny hands and showed a marked sense of rhythm and very clean playing.

Last, but not least, Madame Eveline gave a very musical and quite faultless rendering of a Chopin Study, followed by Debussy's *Jardins sous la Pluie*, which demands considerable fluency of technique and plenty of atmosphere. She played them both from memory.

Mr. Ore regards his pupils' concerts as a "public practice," to give his young pianists an opportunity for overcoming stage fright, and under the circumstances one or two slight lapses of memory were quite understandable.

Towards the close of the recital, Mr. Conrado de la Cruz (violinist) gave a brilliant rendering of Vieuxtemps' Ballade and Polonaise.

The piano solos were relieved by four part songs rendered by the German Mixed Choir, conducted by Harry Ore. The men's voices were quite good, but the sopranos were not always quite in tune. All their songs were enjoyable, particularly a Swedish Wedding March by Soedermann and an Old German Folksong by Vogel.

Finally, Harry Ore proceeded to show Young China how the piano can be played if the pianist is endowed with the necessary physique as well as a fluent technique. He performed amazing acrobatic feats with dazzling effect in Liszt's Twelfth Hungarian Rhapsody. But it was not all heavy stuff. Harry Ore can play extremely delicately when the music calls for it. As was once said of Egon Petri in a critique: "He can play as delicately as a cat walks on velvet or thunder with the hammer of Thor." Mr. Ore did both last night, and the piano stood up to it very well.

*ALLEGRO.*

### IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day: Duisburg, Anking, Haikow, Katori Maru, Carthage, Pres. McKinley, Tanda, Anhui, Chungking, Achilles, Kwangtung, Tangoo Maru, Toldwa Maru, Tiliawa, Taiming, Hydrangea, Hongkong, Glenfield.

Royal Artillery Headquarters notify that the gun practice from Mount Davis Battery on Thursday will take place from 2.30 p.m. to 6 p.m.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### Street Sleepers' Shelter Society

The Editor,  
*Hongkong Telegraph*

Sir.—It is a matter of much concern to the Executive Committee that our appeal for Volunteer Helpers and \$3,000 which will be required for this winter's work has, so far, met with so little response. The original shelter at the former St. Peter's Church, West Point, opens on December 1st and the work will be carried out on similar lines to last year. It may be of interest to note that from December 1st last year to 14th April of this year, 16,372 people were registered, who would otherwise have had to sleep in the streets. Copies of report of last year's work are available and may be had at Messrs. Kelly and Walsh and the Colonial Dispensary.

In addition, through the kindness of the Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, we have this winter been able to rent a 3-storeyed house off Po Yan Street which we hope will accommodate 144 persons, and which we anticipate will be opened about the middle of December.

It will thus be seen that we shall need considerably more helpers as well as more funds to equip and organize the two shelters, and we, as a Committee, do appeal most strongly to the public for support, if we are to continue with this work.

Voluntary helpers speaking English or Chinese are needed, men especially. Enrolment forms can be had on application to Miss Atkins, St. Stephen's Girls' College, Lyttleton Road, Tel. 21561 or to any of the places mentioned on the posters. Donations may be sent to Mr. Li Hol-tung, c/o Banker & Co. Ltd, 4 Queen's Road, Central, or to Mr. R. Ashton Hill, c/o H.K. University.

N. V. HALVARD,  
CHAIRMAN, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

## SWEEPSTAKE REGULATION

### NEW BETTING ACT DEFINED

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, Nov. 26.—The Home Secretary, Sir Philip Gilmour, to-day outlined in the House of Commons the Government's attitude towards the Irish Homeless Sweepstakes.

He explained that it would not be an offence under the new Betting Act for any person to purchase sweepstake tickets for his own use. But, he added, it would frustrate the intention of Parliament if the Post Office were allowed to be used for the dissemination of tickets for lotteries promoted in Ireland and elsewhere. He intimated that tickets would be detained in the post, therefore. —*Reuter Special.*

## FIGHTING OPIUM

### SUPPRESSION MOVE IN SHENSI

Sianfu, Nov. 27.—In compliance with the new anti-opium regulation announced by the Central Government, the Provincial Government of Shensi is taking steps to suppress opium traffic, poppy planting and opium smoking simultaneously.

Sir John called attention to the French Foreign Minister's official denial of the existence of any Franco-Soviet military agreement. —*British Wireless.*

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The city is apparently undamaged. —*Reuter.*

The earthquake lasted for 36 minutes.

Thousands of terrified inhabitants rushed into the streets. Numerous bamboo dwellings were wrecked and some of the more substantial buildings were damaged.

No casualties have been reported. —*Reuter.*

## REHABILITATION PROGRAMME

### UNDOING EVILS OF RED OCCUPATION

Nanchang, Nov. 26.—The Nanchang Anti-Red Headquarters is busily devising an elaborate programme for the rehabilitation of the recovered ex-Red districts in Klangzi, following the conclusion of the anti-Red campaign in this province.

As a preliminary step, an order



H.E. Sir Alexander Cadogan, British Minister to China, is here seen with Mr. Herbert Phillips, H.B.M.'s Consul General at Canton, during the former's visit to Canton last week.

## ANOTHER PEAK JEWEL THEFT

### MRS. RICHARD SANGER VICTIMISED

Another jewellery theft is reported from The Peak, involving a loss placed between \$600 and \$700.

The theft occurred at No. 458 The Peak, the residence of Mrs. Richard Sanger, well-known local vocalist, the articles stolen comprising two bracelets, a ring, a brooch and a gold chain, which were taken from a drawer in a dresser.

Discovery of the loss was made on Sunday, and the matter is now in the hands of the police.

## U.S. AMBASSADOR ON WAY HOME

### TO ENGAGE IN NEW DEBT PARLEYS

Shanghai, Nov. 27.

Sir Bullitt, American Ambassador at Moscow, who is on his way to Washington, has just completed a tour of Central China. He returned here from sight-seeing tour of Soochow yesterday and is leaving for home this morning.

He is going to Washington in connection with the Russo-American "debt talks" which are expected to be of great importance. —*Central News.*

## FRANCO-SOVIET ACCORD?

### QUESTIONS IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

London, Nov. 26.—Asked in the House of Commons if he had any statement to make regarding the reported defensive alliance between Russia and France, Sir John Simon said he had no information that there was any intention to conclude such an alliance.

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## MANILA SHAKEN

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## DIPLOMATIC CALL

London, Nov. 26.

Sir John Simon called at Buckingham Palace this evening and was received by Prince Paul, head of the Yugo-Slavian Regency Council. —*British Wireless.*

## RADIO BROADCAST

### A Jazz Banjo And Piano Recital

#### EUROPEAN PROGRAMME

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 365 metres (815 kilocycles), 4-7 p.m., Chinese Programme. 7 p.m., Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations. 7.08-7.30 p.m., Vocal Gems. The Student Prince (Romberg). Light Opera Company. The Quaker (Monckton). Light Opera Company. The Merry Widow (Lehar). The Waltz Dream (Strauss). Light Opera Company. 7.30-8 p.m., From the Studio, A Jazz Recital, by Fred Cariño. Guitar, and Banjo. Julian Silvero. Piano. Programme.

1. Dainty Miss. 2. Nola. 3. Casanova. 4. Love in Bloom. 5. Feelin' my Way. 7. I've had my Moment. 8. Lady Finger. 8 p.m., Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.35 p.m., Variety. Vocal—You Oughta be in Pictures. One morning in May. Derickson and Brown.

Songs—Love's Last Word is Spoken. Out in the Cold, Cold Snow.

Gracie Fields. (Comedienne).

Instrumental—Give me Liberty, or Give me Love.

Melody in Spring.

The Four Bright Sparks.

Orchestra—Rita Rita—Selection. You're always in my arms. Reginald King and his Orchestra. Songs—Slumberland, Josephine.

Les Allen (Baritone). 8.35-9 p.m., Symphony No. 4 ("Italian") in A Major (Mendelssohn). Sir Hamilton Harty conducting the Hallé Orchestra.

1st Movement—Allegro vivace.

2nd " " Andante con moto.

3rd " " Con moto moderato.

4th " " Saitarello.

9.20-9.30 p.m., From the Studio.

Peter Simple will give a talk on "Nothing in Particular"—Just a stroll along the Embankment.

9.20-9.30 p.m., Octet.

Tranquill (For strings only) (Schumann).

Humoreske—Paraphrase (For strings only) (Dvorak).

The J. II. Squire Celeste Octet.

9.30 p.m., Reuter Press Bulletins.

London 1 p.m., Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-10 p.m., From the Studio.

A Violin Recital by Conrado de la Cruz accompanied by Mr. Harry Ore.

Programme.

1. Sonata in G Minor ... Tartin.

2. Celeste Gavotte Martini-Manen.

3. Berceuse ..... Townsend.

4. Romanza Andaluza ... Sarnate.

5. Rondina ..... Vieuxtemps.

10.10-10 p.m., Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—From now on,

"Little Man, You've had a busy day."

"Moon Country."

Waltz—Love (Wonderful Love).

Fox-Trot—Sing as we go.

"Oh! Mukl Mukl Oh!"

"Evry Time I Look at you."

"Isle of Capri."

Waltz—Grazing.

10.30 p.m., Reuter Press Bulletins.

Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10.40 p.m., Close Down.

#### ZEESEN PROGRAMMES

##### This Evening's Broadcast From The German Short-Waver

Special programme for Far Eastern listeners will be broadcast this evening by DJA on 31.50 metres as under:

8.15 p.m., Evening Announcements German (German, English).

9.15 p.m., Humoresques and Mazurkas for piano. Prof. H. Pollack (Piano).

9.45 p.m., News in English.

10 p.m., Variety Programme, J. H. Mulligan, Entertainer.

11.15 p.m., News in German.

# HOW PERRY RETAINED HIS PACIFIC TENNIS TITLES

## LEAGUE BADMINTON

### MIXED DOUBLES DIVISION

#### COMPLETE LIST OF FIXTURES

The following is the complete fixture list of the season for the mixed doubles division of the badminton league. It will be noticed that the majority of the matches are arranged for Mondays, the exception being the home games of the St. Andrew's Club and Y.M.C.A., for which separate dates have been given.

December 3: Recreio "A" v Y.M.C.A., K.C.C. v Fire Brigade, C.R.C. v Taikoo.

December 10: Recreio v Taikoo, K.C.C. v C.R.C.

December 14: Y.M.C.A. v Fire Brigade.

December 21: Recreio "A" v Fire Brigade, Y.M.C.A. v C.R.C., K.C.C. v Recreio "B".

January 7: Recreio "A" v Taikoo, Fire Brigade v C.R.C.

January 11: St. Andrew's v Taikoo, Y.M.C.A. v Recreio "B".

January 14: Recreio "A" v C.R.C., Taikoo v K.C.C.

January 17: St. Andrew's v K.C.C.

January 21: Recreio "A" v K.C.C., C.R.C. v Recreio, Taikoo v Y.M.C.A., Fire Brigade v St. Andrew's.

#### OTHER BADMINTON ON PAGE 9



Miss Stammers (right) and Miss Freda James, receiving their trophies from Dr. Sumner Hardy, after they had contested the final for the Pacific Coast tennis championship. Miss Stammers was the winner.

#### HOCKEY

## MACAO WIN AGAIN

## FLOTILLA WELL BEATEN

Macao registered yet another win against Hongkong hockey team on Saturday when they defeated the 8th. Destroyer Flotilla by 6 goals to 2.

The exchanges were fast throughout and until about ten minutes after the interval were even. At the interval Macao had a lead of two clear goals but the Flotilla drew level. Thereafter Macao had matters their own way and netted four times before the final whistle.

The home side were without the services of Inertes, their regular inside right who is on the injured list. Their outstanding players were J. Ferreira, in the centre of the intermediate line, L. Ferreira, right half, and Hugo Rosaria, inside left.

Lieut. Sinclair and Lieut. Holland-Martin were the pick of the visitors' side.

Next week-end Macao will entertain the Incognitos.

#### FRIENDLY HOCKEY

### Recreio Defeat The United Club

In friendly hockey match played on the Club ground at King's Park yesterday afternoon, the Club de Recreio defeated the United Hockey Club by three goals to nil. Fast falling light made it necessary for the teams not to change over at the interval thus saving time.

Dr. A. M. Rodrigues, the Interport player, gave the Recreio the lead, and shortly afterwards Rodrigues again found the net. The third goal was scored by N. Beltrão.

The United pressed hard, but found the Recreio defence sound and could not score.

## BEATS LESTER STOEFEN AND DONALD BUDGE

## CONTINUALLY RAISES GAME TO OUTWIT RIVALS

### ENGLISH GIRLS ALSO MEET WITH PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

The following descriptions of Perry's victories in the Pacific Southwest singles championship and Pacific Coast singles championship are contained in a recent issue of *American Lawn Tennis*, and indicate how brilliantly Perry retained his form during his visit to America.

At the Pacific Southwest title match, the Journal says:

The final match, Perry v Stoefen, resulted in tennis that was not as thrilling as might be expected but most interesting from a technical standpoint. Stoefen's powerful delivery made his service games almost certain winners, but he was unable to win Perry's service. Perry was consistent, although not as brilliant as usual, from the start. He was, however, able to bring off amazing shots when the tight moments came, and he often left Stoefen flat-footed by turning the latter's winners into aces for himself.

Stoefen's groundstrokes were very erratic throughout, thus assuring Perry of many points while Lester remained in the backcourt. The Englishman's drives were so consistent in their depth and accuracy in the game to-day. This he clearly showed by his play against Budge, for he was up against the best tennis Budge has shown to date on courts not to his particular liking and on which his opponent learned his game. Budge's play was awfully good but simply not just good enough, and though he tried desperately until the last point Perry had control when it counted most.

### PACIFIC COAST TITLE

### PERRY ANNOYED WITH OFFICIALS

Perry defeated Donald Budge in the final of the Pacific Coast championship, which match, *American Lawn Tennis* writes:

Budge's splendid play against Stoefen caused a certain bullish tendency regarding his chances against Perry in the final. That he did not win was certainly no fault of his but rather only because Perry is no more or less than the greatest amateur player in the game to-day. This he clearly showed by his play against Budge, for he was up against the best tennis Budge has shown to date on courts not to his particular liking and on which his opponent learned his game. Budge's play was awfully good but simply not just good enough, and though he tried desperately until the last point Perry had control when it counted most.

### PERRY UNDERESTIMATES

The first set found the Englishman trifling inclined to underestimate the ability of his youthful opponent, and erred frequently enough to drop the set at 0-3. From the start Budge played steadily and forcefully, and carried most of the attack to his opponent. The second and third sets were almost a repetition of each other.

Perry won each with a single service break, the second at 0-4 and the third at 7-5. His anticipation and court covering were beautiful to see and almost completely nullified the devastating effects of the forehand and backhand drives that Budge relied upon.

Lester had a great chance for the second session when at 2-2 on Perry's service he led at 0-30 and then at advantage; only to see Perry lift his game and come through with his "champion's shots" and save the day.

Stoefen managed to hold his own through the next four games, but in the tenth Perry again determined to end the issue and smashed Stoefen's serve for the second set.

### THIRD SET RUM

The third set was more of a rout as Perry had by this time hacked Stoefen down to his own size and won the latter's service in the second game. He then strode into a quick 3-0 advantage, thereafter coasting in on his own delivery. As Stoefen remarked after the match, "I just can't stroke with that guy; I just can't!" And this is the story of Stoefen's downfall—Perry was just good enough on the baseline and Stoefen was not steady enough to offset the attack. Several times Stoefen held a 0-30 advantage and his ad on Perry's serve for a break, but each time the darling Britisher would come through with the necessary shots to take the point and shots whistled from backhand corner to backhand corner as repeatedly hard

### BALLS THROWN AT LINESMEN

After the rest period Perry's game suffered and decided let down and tried to what he believed were some bad calls he happened more interested in throwing balls at several of the offending linesmen than paying much attention to Budge, who was playing extremely well. Between the combination the fourth set went to the Californian at 6-1. At this point Perry lost all interest in linesmen and their idiosyncrasies and buckled down to business. He raised the level of his game and was after his man with a vengeance. But Budge had scented victory and was not to be easily turned aside. The rallies lengthened and shots whistled from backhand corner to backhand corner as repeatedly hard



A recent photograph of Fred Perry, taken in America, following his successes in the Pacific Southwest and Pacific Coast championships. He is seen with the Texan, Buxby, one of his victims.

### ENGLISH GIRLS TRIUMPH

### Miss Stammers Beats Miss James

The ladies singles was a well deserved triumph for Miss Katherine Stammers, whose fine play throughout the week carried her to the final where she met and defeated Miss Freda James in a closely fought three set match. The women's event developed a greater number of well played matches than this event ever had in the past.

The final was far and away the most interesting and best fought match that has been played by women in the Pacific Coast Championships for years. Both Miss Stammers and Miss James hit out for every point and the rallies were long and closely contested.

### FINE FOREHAND

Freda played extremely well in the first set, and as her opponent was a trifle slow in finding the range she won it at 6-4. But Katherine was gradually getting fine forehand shot of hers under control and began to find the deep corners on each side of her opponent's court with enough hard hit shots to even the set score by taking the second at 6-3.

After the rest, which seemed to refresh Miss James, who was a very tired young lady at this point, the play was extremely close and Miss Stammers was in some difficulty when she was down at 3-4 and 0-30 on her own serve. Here she began to get the feel of her forehand again and she reeled off the next three games for the match and title. Her forehand drive is probably the finest in women's tennis to-day and with it she will unquestionably achieve far greater victories than those which have already been hers.

### FOURTH POINT CARRIED THE SCORE TO 4-4

Perry broke Budge's serve for 6-5 and then, aided by a double fault, proceeded to drop his own for 6-all. Here he stabled and by fine retrieving and two brilliant volleys broke Budge for the odd game and went out on his own serve for the match at 3-0, 6-4, 7-5, 1-0, 7-5.

## F. A. CUP DRAW

### WEAKER CLUBS LUCKY

### NEARLY ALL GET HOME GAMES

Although most of the smaller clubs were eliminated from the English Cup on Saturday, those who did survive have been fortunate in the draw for the second round, Dartford, a Southern League side, Yeovil and Potters, who sensationally ousted Crystal Palace, and Bath, conquerors of Guildford City on the latter's ground, all being at home in the next stage.

Furthermore if Blyth Spartans should beat Stockport in their first round replay, they will also be before their own supporters, as will also the winners of the all-amateur tie between Wimbleton and Leyton.

All of these teams can look forward to interesting matches; Bath receive Bolton, leaders of the Second Division, while Dartford are hosts to Bristol Rovers. It is quite possible for the Kent team to win here.

### YEOVIL'S ATTRACTION

Yeovil have a great attraction, entertaining either Charlton or Exeter, two of the most attractive teams in the Third Division. Southend will be the visitors to either Wimbledon or Leyton.

Shildon Colliery, who played a highly creditable draw against Lincoln on Saturday, will, if they survive the replay at Lincoln this week, journey to Swindon, but their prospects of winning off the West country team's ground are as remote as those in their replay with Lincoln.

The second round of the Cup which is to be played on December 8, is the last round before the entry of the competitors up to 6-0, 6-1.

Nineteen of the teams which are figuring in the second round this year also won through to the same stage last winter, while there are 13 newcomers.

### COMPLETE DRAW

The complete draw, with home teams named first, follows.

York	v. Southport or New Brighton
Dartford	v. Bristol Rovers
Clapton Orient	v. Chester
Blyth Spartans or Stockport	v. Darlington or Shildon Colliery or Lincoln
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Halifax or Hartlepools	v. Torquay or Bristol City
Wigan	v. Rotherham

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### VILLA WIN REPLAYED LEAGUE MATCH

#### PORTSMOUTH GO UNDER BY ODD GOAL IN NINE

London, Nov. 26. Aston Villa defeated Portsmouth at Birmingham to-day in the replay of Saturday's league game, which was abandoned. Scoring was prolific, the Villa securing the honours by the odd goal in nine. When Saturday's encounter was brought to an abrupt termination, the Villa were leading by three goals to two.—Reuters.

### SHAMEEN LAWN TENNIS

### LATEST TOURNEY RESULTS

### SECOND ROUND MATCHES

Canton, Nov. 26. The following are the latest second round results in the Shamteen Lawn Tennis Club annual tournament which is now in progress.

### MEN'S SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

2nd Round: Watson beat Monroe 6/0, 6/4, 6/2, Bragontier beat Munro 2/6, 6/3, 6/4, Rode beat Lancaster 6/2, 6/3, 6/1, Bodiker walked over, against Agnew, Holland-Martin beat J. L. Wright 6/1, 8/10, 6/3, 6/3, von Esselen beat Band 6/3, 6/1, 6/1, Walsham beat Stirling 7/5, 4/6, 6/3, 6/1.

### HONG DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP

2nd Round: Chinese Maritime Customs beat Deacon & Co., Ltd. Asiatic Petroleum Co. beat Manufacturers Life Insurance Co. 6/8, 6/3, 6/1, Reiss Massey & Co., Ltd. beat Hongkong & Shanghai Bank walk over, British Consulate-General beat Standard Oil Co. 6/2, 6/0, 6/1.

### LADIES HANDICAP SINGLES

2nd Round: Madame Laffond beat Annatt (Scr.) 6/0, 6/1, Mrs. Annatt (Scr.) beat Mrs. Lammett (Scr.) 6/1, 4/6, 6/2, Mrs. Eales (-15) beat Mrs. Owen (Scr.) 6/2, 6/1, Mrs. Kanter (Scr.) 6/0, 6/3, walk over.

### MIXED DOUBLES HANDICAP

2nd Round: Madame Laffond and Walsham (-16) beat Mrs. Eales & Eales (Scr.) 7/5, 6/3, Mrs. Hunt and Hunt (Scr.) walk over against Mrs. Kidd & Kidd (plus 16), Mrs. Annatt and Hanaford (-13) beat Mrs. Hyslop and Whitmore (-15) 6/4, 1/6, 8/6, Mrs. Phillips and Bodiker (-40) beat Mrs. Macdermott and Farmer (Scr.) 6/2, 6/3.

### MEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES

2nd Round: Carpenter (Scr.) beat Monroe (-3) 4/6, 6/2, 6/4, Walsham (-15) beat Annatt (Scr.) 6/3, 6/0, 6/3, von Esselen (Scr.) walk over against Whitmore (-16), Munro (-3) beat Terde (Continued on Page 9.)

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# SHANGHAI BADMINTON LEAGUE RECORD

## NO-FOUL RULE

Promotor To Appear Before B.B.B.C.

London, Nov. 5.  
Mr. Jeff Dickson, the boxing promoter, has received the following letter from the British Boxing Board of Control:

"The board (administrative stewards) at a meeting yesterday had placed before them various reports, alleged to have been published under your authority, that you would defy the British Boxing Board of Control in regard to the question of the Rules of Boxing and put into operation a so-called no-foul rule at your next promotion at the Albert Hall."

"The stewards decided that you be asked to appear before them at their next meeting to explain your action in this matter."

The receipt of this letter, stated Mr. Dickson was a surprise to him, because he has always been a staunch supporter of boxing control, and it was never his intention to flout the board.

He could not institute a no-foul rule, because the referees are as follows:

Men's 1st.—C.S.F. Br.; C.S.F. Int.; Country Club; Club Lusitano; Cathedral B.C.; International Recreation Club; Police St. Joseph's Union Church; Jewish Recreation Club; and the Shanghai Power Co.

The 2nd Division Men's Doubles head the list with nine entries and the Mixed Doubles 1st. Division are at the other end with only four entries.

The entries by divisions are as follows:

Men's 1st.—C.S.F. Br.; C.S.F. Int.; Country Club; Club Lusitano; Union Church and Int. Rec. Club.

Men's 2nd.—C.S.F. Int.; Rec. Club; Club Lusitano; Shin; Power Co.; Cathedral; Jewish Rec. Club; St. Joseph's; Police and Columbia Country Club.

Women's.—C.S.F.; Country Club; Columbia Country Club; Union Church and St. Joseph's.

Mixed Doubles 1st.—C.S.F. Br.; C.S.F. Int.; Country Club and Union Church.

Mixed Doubles 2nd.—C.S.F.; Columbia C.C.; Police St. Joseph's and Jewish Rec. Club.

## ENTRIES NUMBER 29

### Good Season Expected

### FRENCH CLUB STILL VERY STRONG

Eleven clubs have entered 29 teams in the Shanghai Badminton League for this season, which constitutes a new record for the northern port.

The Clubs, members of the Association are as follow:—Cercle Sportif Français; Country Club; Columbia Country Club; Club Lusitano; Cathedral B.C.; International Recreation Club; Police St. Joseph's; Union Church; Jewish Recreation Club; and the Shanghai Power Co.

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### C. S. F. STRONG

In the Men's 1st. Division the C.S.F. Br., winners last year, should be able to repeat their victory as they have added at least one very strong player from whom much is expected this season.

The newcomers to the first division, the I.R.C., may make things uncomfortable for last year's leaders, as they are putting up a strong team. Their first couple Gordon Lum and Guy Cheng are expected to give a good account of themselves and L. H. Wade and "Peanut" Marshall make a strong second couple, and it will be interesting to watch their progress during the season.

The Men's second division appears to be very open and should be close. The Women's division looks as if the Country Club, who have only entered one team this year, should win back the honours again this year. The Mixed Doubles division teams appear to be evenly matched and a good struggle should take place.

## LOCAL YACHTING

### Yacht Club Holds Three Contests

### KEEN RACING

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club yesterday held three contests. They were: The "A" Class Ladies' Championship; the "Ladies' "H" Class; and, the "Y" and "G" Classes.

In the "A" race Mrs. Adams piloted True Blue into first place; in the "H" Class race Diana, piloted by Miss Minnie Whitham, gained first place. Miss J. Bryden was at the tiller of Heron, when it came in first in the "Y" and "G" class race.

The racing results were as follow:

#### "A" Class at 15:50

Yacht	First Pt	Second Pt	Third Pt
Carpenter	16.27.19	9	4
(Mrs. Skyrme)			
Ostia	16.23.09	7	6
(Mrs. Bunn)			
Wasp II	16.21.53	6	7
(Mrs. Griffen)			
La Linda	16.20.24	11	2
(Mrs. Sheldon)			
Jinn	16.21.07	4	9
(Mrs. Brunsgaard)			
Isobel	16.24.10	8	5
(Miss Owen Hughes)			
Joss	16.20.13	2	11
(Mrs. Stanton)			
Gill	16.21.36	5	8
(Miss J. G. Mackie)			
Claudia	16.31.68	12	1
(Mrs. Kenny)			
True Blue	16.19.42	1	13
(Mrs. Adams)			
Pat	16.28.04	10	3
(Mrs. Abbott)			
Painted Lady	16.21.01	3	10
(Mrs. Batty)			

#### "H" Class Started at 15:00

Yacht Fisher Corted Pitton Plta.

Diana 16.21.24 16.20.14 1 4

(Miss Minnie Whitham)

Ariel 16.25.36 16.20.21 2 2

(Miss Mary Whitham)

Dorothy 16.31.27 16.25.37 3 1

(Miss McLean)

"I," "Y" & "G" Class Started 15:05

Ailsa 16.43.20 16.31.40 4 4

(Miss Bildbeck)

Heron 16.42.15 16.28.60 1 8

(Miss J. Bryden)

Robens 16.42.09 16.29.19 3 5

(Mrs. B. Marshall)

Wildeon 16.41.16 16.28.55 2 6

(Mrs. Bildbeck)

Zephyr 16.46.23 16.32.58 5 3

(Mrs. R. Wren)

Toynette 16.59.30 16.38.30 7 1

(Mrs. F. G. Barker)

Sirius 16.54.32 16.35.17 6 2

(Mrs. E. Cooper)

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

**FRECKLES WITH ONE ARM**  
THROWN UP IN DEFENSE REACHES  
FOR HIS KNIFE... NUTTY  
CHASES FOR HIS RIFLE!

**FRECKLES DUCKS... THE LION  
CRUMPLES BEFORE HIS  
VERY EYES....**

**BOY! THAT WAS  
CLOSE! HE  
COLLAPSED  
RIGHT AT  
MY FEET  
!!**

**NO WONDER!!  
LOOK AT THE  
LENGTH OF THIS  
KNIFE IN HIS  
SIDE... THAT'S A  
TEN-INCH  
BLADE!!**

**BOYBOY!  
I WONDER  
WHERE  
IT  
CAME  
FROM  
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**I BETTER  
SHOOT HIM,  
JUST TO  
MAKE SURE  
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**SUSPICIOUS CASE****DOUBT ABOUT CAUSE OF MAN'S FATAL FALL**

A Coroner's inquiry was opened by Mr. W. Schofield, assisted by a jury comprising Messrs. H. J. Fountain (Foreman), F. E. Silva and W. E. Broadbridge, at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon, into the death of Wong Pak-klu alias Wong Cheuk-lam, who met his death by a fall from the verandah of the third floor of No. 167 Des Voeux Road Central, on September 9.

Mr. Schofield, addressing the jury, said that the circumstances in the case were rather unusual, and such as to make it doubtful whether the deceased had died by homicide or by suicide. They had to decide whether any person could be held responsible for his death.

Dr. L. D. Pringle, who held the post mortem on the body, said that the deceased was about 30 years of age. The body was identified by Lai Kan and by Yung Lei, who recognised deceased as having visited their master on the previous afternoon.

**Signs of a Struggle.**

Describing the injuries, Dr. Pringle said there was considerable bruising around the outside of the right eye and cheek; a deep laceration of the skin above the outer end of the right eyebrow; a small punctured laceration in the middle of the left eyebrow; scratches on the right side of the mouth and neck; a deep bruise on the point of the right shoulder and a series of bruises, which appeared to have been made by the bite of human teeth, on the front of the middle of the right arm. Besides these injuries, there were numerous other minor ones on other parts of the body. Both the front and base of the skull were extensively fractured and there was considerable hemorrhage. Two ribs were fractured, as also was the right side of the pelvis. Death was due to fracture of the skull and concussion of the brain.

With the exception of the scratches, and teeth marks and the punctured laceration on the arm, the other injuries were compatible with the deceased having had a fall from a considerable height. Deceased must have fallen on his right side, and probably his head must have struck the ground first. The scratches on the mouth and neck might have been caused by any

**FOREIGN SERVICE****CONSULATE AT BATAVIA ELEVATED**

Nanking, Nov. 25. For the purpose of placing the Chinese consular services in various parts of the Nanyang Archipelago under unified control, so as to increase administrative efficiency, the Waichinpo Consulate has decided to elevate the Chinese Consulate at Batavia to the status of Consulate-General.

All Chinese consultans in the Nanyang Archipelago are answerable to the Consulate-General in Batavia.—Central News Agency.

sharp object. The teeth marks were probably inflicted on the bare arm and not through the shirt. The injury on the right arm might possibly have been caused by body striking a flag pole when falling down.

After Sergeant Moran had produced photographs, Sergeant Powle said that he went to the scene and found the body lying on the roadway about eight feet from the kerb. He found half a cuff link on the left sleeve of the shirt. The body was dressed in a pair of grey trousers and a white shirt. He found a coat matching the trousers in the front room of the second floor of No. 167. A flag pole was suspended from the verandah of the second floor.

Sergeant McRobbie next gave formal evidence of identification, after which Chan Chu, photographer of the Po Chun firm, produced a photograph of the body of the dead man, he had taken at the mortuary.

**Arrived From Canton.**

Lo Shun, residing at No. 3 Po Yin market, Canton, said she identified the body from the photograph as that of her son. She last saw him alive on the night of September 8 in Canton before he left for Hongkong. The deceased formerly practised as a dentist in Hongkong, but had removed his business to Canton. He told her he was leaving for Hongkong to look for a friend, and said he would be back in a week's time at the latest. He mentioned something about pawn tickets, saying he wanted to go to Hongkong and pay the interest and get the time limit extended. Deceased had a wife in Canton. He had been to the Straits Settlements. She had never heard of the Wing Sling Yuen firm before. Deceased was her

son by her husband's principal wife. She did not know if deceased had any enemy in Hongkong.

After Sub-Inspector O'Donovan had given formal evidence, the hearing was adjourned until 2.30 p.m. on December 3.

**"MERRIE ENGLAND"****PRESENTATIONS ON SATURDAY**

The production of the concert version of "Merrie England" by the Hongkong Philharmonic Society was brought to a fitting close on Saturday night with the customary presentation of bouquets and other favours to the conductor, principals and members of the chorus.

The China Fleet Club was filled to capacity with a most appreciative audience which included H. E. the G.O.C., Major General O. C. Borrett, and Mrs. Borrett, Sir Thomas and Lady Southorn, Professor W. Brown, president of the Society, and party, comprising the Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson and Mrs. Henderson and Miss Gough.

At the conclusion of the performance all lady members of the chorus and orchestra were presented with boxes of chocolate by the President, and were the recipients of many other favours.

On behalf of the Society, Professor Brown presented Mr. J. Anderson Miller, L.R.A.M., conductor, with a silver cocktail shaker, suitably inscribed, and some pieces of cut glass to Mrs. G. W. R. Griggs, who had been accompanist for the production throughout rehearsals and during the actual concert.

Professor Brown brought the proceedings to a close with a speech made in humorous vein and himself conducted the singing of "We're all jolly good fellows", a fitting finale in itself.

H. E. the G.O.C., who is the latest addition to the list of vice-presidents of the Society, was especially interested in the show, as the conductor, Mr. J. Anderson Miller, the two principal male voices, Mr. E. J. Dyer and Mr. A. V. Sanders, together with several members of the chorus, are from the Army. After the final curtain His Excellency went back stage and addressed the cast in a cheery and encouraging speech, during which he expressed appreciation for the admirable manner in which the concert had been staged.

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### FOUR POINT PLAN

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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**WASHINGTON, NOV. 26.**  
THE UNITED STATES IS STUDYING A  
PLAN WHICH WILL BRING TO THE WORLD  
GREATER ASSURANCE OF LASTING PEACE,  
BY MEANS OF WHICH AMERICA HOPES TO  
PRESERVE AN ATMOSPHERE OF CALM IN  
THE PACIFIC AND A CLOSE RELATIONSHIP  
WITH ENGLAND AND THE LEAGUE OF  
NATIONS.

It was announced to-day, by well-informed authorities, that members of the Administration had been instructed to study "peace stabilisation steps" calculated to put the threat and talk of war into the background of world affairs.

First, the United States is making plans for a new general conference of Pacific nations. She is investigating the possibility of interesting Pacific countries in a scheme which would emphasise their community of interest for the preservation of peace, particularly in the Far East.

At the same time, America will endeavour, it is believed, to readjust political pacts in the Pacific.

It is supposed that the powers chiefly concerned in such a move would be Japan, China, Canada, Mexico, and possibly Russia, and it is likely that they will be invited to a general conference. Britain's interests would be guarded through the Canadian delegation, it is suggested.

#### HELP FOR LEAGUE

The second phase of the American scheme for the stabilisation of world peace, it is believed, is the formulation of a foreign policy which will allow for closer co-operation and collaboration with the League of Nations.

Such a closer union has been the goal of numerous European statesmen, but the American policy of isolation always hindered efforts at achieving real unity of action. America would have it clearly understood, however, that her suggestion of a nearer relationship with the League did not necessarily mean adherence to the League Covenant.

#### NAVAL UNDERSTANDING

The third point of the new diplomatic programme would be the formation of an Anglo-American naval understanding. This is looked upon as a most important move, and one which, if achieved, would give the English-speaking powers an immense influence in future armaments negotiations.

Fourthly, the United States will seek international agreement upon economic relief measures, in an effort to revive world trade and break finally and completely the strangle-hold of the depression.—United Press.

An enjoyable social was held by members of St. Andrew's Club in the Church Hall last night. Games and competitions were indulged in and refreshments were served. Mr. H. New was the M.C. and was accorded a hearty vote of thanks at the conclusion of the programme.

### FRENCH NAVAL POLICY

#### READY TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

#### WORRIED BY GERMANY

(Special to "Telegraph").

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**PARIS, NOV. 26.** France will not recoil from the financial sacrifices that may be imposed upon her by the necessity of arming to meet a possible menace from the six pocket-battleships which Germany plans to construct, and to answer any challenge which may be forthcoming in the Mediterranean, declares M. Stern, rapporteur on the Navy Ministry credits which are before the Chamber of Deputies.

Nevertheless, France will willingly attend the London Naval Conference in 1935, for despite the insufficiencies often ascribed to naval treaties they had the merit of limiting armaments efficaciously for long periods.

France's naval expenditure in the coming year, he said, would be practically the same as in 1934.

Meanwhile, as an answer to Germany's pocket battleships, the French have laid down another big warship, the 26,000-ton Strasbourg.—Reuter Special.

#### MORE HOUSES

#### EXTENSIVE BUILDING AT HOME

**LONDON, NOV. 26.** The total number of houses built in England and Wales during the six months ended September 30, 1934 was 156,463.

The number for the corresponding period of 1933 was 113,382.—British Wireless.



These prominent delegates to the three-power naval talks in London spend an occasional week-end at golf, when fleet ratios and problems of diplomacy are forgotten. They are Sir John Simon, British Foreign Secretary, Mr. Norman Davis, chief American delegate, and Admiral William Stanley, U.S. Chief of Naval Operations.

### SHIP OWNERS SEEK HEAVY DAMAGES

### SUPREME COURT CLAIM FOR \$100,000

### COLLISION SEQUEL

A collision in the harbour on August 7 last had a sequel this morning when the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor, at the Supreme Court, heard an action for damages involving claims totalling \$170,000.

The parties were the Rhederai M. Jebsen Aktieselskak, owners of the steamer Michael Jebsen, the plaintiffs, who claimed \$100,000, and the Ching Kee Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., owners of the steamer Chian Lee, who put in a counter-claim for \$70,000.

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., and Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., instructed by Mr. O. E. C. Marton, of Messrs. Deacons, represented the Rhederai M. Jebsen Aktieselskak, while Mr. H. G. Sheldon, instructed by Mr. G. S. Hugh-Jones, of Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, was for the Ching Kee Steam Navigation Co. Comdr. J. B. Newill, D.S.O., Deputy Harbour Master, sat with the Chief Justice.

Outlining the case, Mr. Potter said that on the evening of August 7, the Michael Jebsen was approaching Hongkong after a voyage from Bangkok. She entered by Sulphur Channel and cleared Green Island about 7.45 p.m. After passing Green Island, the captain changed the ship's course slightly westward, with the intention of tying up his ship to Buoy No. 12. He picked up a sampsie near Green Island for the purpose of assisting him to the up-buoy ship. Entering the harbour, he noticed that Buoy No. 12 was occupied and he decided to take Buoy No. 10. In either case, the course of the ship would be the same and the Central Fairway would be used.

SPEED REDUCED

At 7.48 p.m. the ship's speed was reduced to half. The Captain and the Second Officer were on the bridge and the Chief Officer was at the forecastle. The Chian Lee was sighted over a mile away, being five to six points on the port bow of the Michael Jebsen. She was apparently on a voyage from Canton to Hongkong and apparently was proceeding at considerable speed.

At 7.50, the Michael Jebsen gave one long blast of five or six seconds' duration and stopped her engines. The captain would tell the court that he did nothing of these things because he was afraid

of a collision with the Chian Lee. At that time there was no danger. He blew a long blast because the Chian Lee had been in sight for about two minutes and she was proceeding at a considerable speed in the direction of the Central Fairway, and had not indicated in any way that she had seen the Michael Jebsen. The captain of the Chian Lee might have had his attention focussed on the Central Fairway, and the long blast would draw his attention to the Michael Jebsen.

Although a long blast, said Mr. Potter, was not a recognised pre-

### NEW NAMES FOR WARSHIPS

#### King Approves Of Change

London, Nov. 26.

With H.M. the King's approval, cruisers of the "M" class, which it was intended to name after mythological monsters, are instead to be called after famous cities.

Two ships of the 1933 programme, Polyphemus and Minotaur, will be renamed the Southampton and Newcastle, and the three ships of the 1934 programme will be named the Birmingham, Glasgow, and Sheffield.—British Wireless.

### World's Good-Will Sought

#### CHINA NEEDS FRIENDS

(Special to "Telegraph").

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**PHILADELPHIA, NOV. 26.**

Mr. Alfred Sze, Minister to Washington, addressing the Political Science Academy to-day, solicited world good-will and financial co-operation for the economic modernisation of China.

Without referring to the Oriental political situation, he said that privately sponsored financial development in China, co-operation in organising to facilitate combined Chinese and foreign investments, would speed up the Chinese economic and social modernisation. There had been an exceptional advance of late years in this direction, he said.

Mr. Sze forecasted early aerial connections between China, Europe and America.

He cited the Chinese coinage reformation, telegraph, telephone and highway extension, as aids to administrative efficiency. Chinese international relations were improving vastly, in pace with domestic conditions.

Mr. Sze drew attention to the stout resistance offered to the Japanese at Shanghai as demonstration of the effectiveness of well organised and equipped Chinese troops. China was rapidly becoming modernised in every direction, he insisted.—United Press.

### AIDS COUNTRY IN CRISIS

#### Haiheng's Chinese Master

#### NEW POLICY OF OPERATORS

#### HONGKONG BOYCOTT?

What appears to be a threat to boycott Hongkong, unless passenger-carrying certificates are issued to ships of the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company, officiated by Chinese, is revealed in a message from Shanghai received here this afternoon.

Shanghai, Nov. 27.

As a change from the practices of navigation in China, the administration of the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company has resolved to engage a Chinese as captain of the new steamer Haiheng, instead of a Briton, it is reported. The C.M.S.N.C. would adhere to this decision even at the cost of sacrificing its service to and from Hongkong if the British authorities refuse to grant a passenger-carrying certificate.

The Haiheng is one of the four steamers recently built in England with the returned British Boxer indemnity Fund. She arrived here over the week-end for delivery.—Central News.

Under the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, passenger certificates are only granted by the Hongkong Government when ships are officiated by men possessing certificates of competency of a grade appropriate to or higher than their stations, in accordance with the scale laid down in the Ordinance.

Unless these provisions are observed no passenger-carrying certificate will be issued.

#### EFFORTS AT STABILISATION

#### U.S. FLIRTS WITH SOUTH AMERICA

Washington, Nov. 26.

It is reported here that important stabilisation negotiations are under way with countries other than Britain, mainly with Latin America, where possibilities are said to be good. Washington is looking to South America for trade expansion.

The Administration is not contemplating any further change in the gold value of the U.S. dollar. The Stabilisation Fund is continuing its acquisition of all foreign currencies into gold or silver.

Business continues to improve.—Suan, Culbertson and Fritz.

#### TRAMP SHIPPING SUBSIDY

#### FINANCIAL MOTION THIS WEEK

London, Nov. 26.

The Prime Minister stated in the House of Commons that the necessary financial resolution to enable the Government to give effect to the proposals for the assistance of tramp shipping would be introduced this week.—British Wireless.

#### FOR MANCHUKUO

Tokyo, Nov. 27.

General Hayashi, Japanese War Minister, has obtained sanction from the Emperor for the appointment of General Minami, War Councillor and former War Minister, as Ambassador to Manchukuo, and concurrently, as Commander of the Kwantung Army in Manchuria, in succession to General Hishikari.—Central News.

#### JAPAN'S CABINET VETERAN

#### TAKAHASHI TAKES THE HELM

CALLED FOR  
EMERGENCY

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Tokyo, Nov. 27.

During this critical "special session" of the Diet the Okada Cabinet will probably be subjected to a spirited attack from the Seiyukai quarter, on the ground that the Government has shown itself anything but genuine in its plans to help the depressed agricultural industry. Besides, there are matters of great moment in the international sphere for the consideration of the Japanese Government leaders, and with the sudden resignation of Mr. Fujii, the Finance Minister yesterday, the Prime Minister found himself in an embarrassing position.

In the emergency he turned to the eighty-year-old former Finance Minister, Mr. Korekiyo Takahashi, who has served in various capacities for many years. Mr. Takahashi left office ten years ago, and declared that his retirement was final. But he has been recalled to the Finance Ministry three times since then. He accepted the portfolio to-day.

At 11 a.m. the Diet convened for a special session to discuss plans for the relief of large areas stricken by the recent typhoon, which took hundreds of lives and left thousands homeless. Enormous crop areas were also destroyed.

The Emperor officially convened the session, and after the formal ceremonies the Diet adjourned until to-morrow, when the first business will be held.

The Minseito Party at a caucus to-day, agreed to give the Government of Premier Okada its fullest support.—United Press.

#### Soviet Bid For World's Cotton Trade

#### ESTABLISHING BIG FACTORIES

Moscow, Nov. 25.

The Soviet authorities are planning the widespread enlargement of the cotton textile industry.

One big plant has already been built in Western Siberia and others are in the process of construction. These are all in the Central Asiatic provinces.

A group of seven Soviet cotton manufacturing exports is leaving for England shortly in order to study the cotton textile trade with a view to purchasing machinery and engaging technical aid.

The group is also planning to visit mills in Germany and the United States.—Reuter.

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### WOMAN SENTENCED TO DEATH

### LINCOLN ASSIZES CASE

### SCENES AT TRIAL

Mrs. Ethel Lillie Major, aged 42, of Kirkby-on-Bain, near Horncliffe, was sentenced to death at Lincoln Assizes for the murder of her 44-year-old husband, Arthur Major, a lorry driver, whom she poisoned with strichine.

The jury, in which there were three women, recommended her to mercy. Knowing that a verdict would be reached, crowds gathered outside the court an hour before the proceedings were due to begin. They were kept in a queue outside the gates to the grounds of Lincoln Castle, where the Assize was held.

The gates were opened half an hour before the hearing was resumed and then people in the waiting crowd raced 100 yards across the Castle quadrangle to the court house in their efforts to get front seats in the public gallery.

Mr. Justice Charles began his summing up by referring to the part that circumstantial evidence played in the case.

"But," he said, "sometimes circumstantial evidence goes more truly to establish a case than evidence that is direct."

He said that the jury might think it a misfortune that they had not the evidence Mrs. Major might have given upon her oath before them.

Mr. Norman Birckett, K.C., who defended, called no evidence for the defence.

### SON'S ORDEAL

Then the judge examined the evidence in detail and dealing with the statements given by Laurence Major, Mrs. Major's 16-year-old son, he said: "He had the terrible ordeal of giving evidence of his son's conduct to his very mother."

The judge drew the jury's attention to the statements which Mrs. Major had made to the police.

"You gather from those statements that she hated her husband," he said. "It is clear that they not only quarrelled with one another, but were capable of violence towards one another."

"In the statements of Mrs. Major there are inconsistencies, some of which you may think would have been more satisfactorily explained or elucidated by the evidence of the prisoner herself."

During the summing up Mrs. Major fainted. She had been sitting in the dock, when she slumped forward. A wardress prevented her from crashing to the floor. She was attended by a doctor, and recovered in a few minutes.

Mr. Justice Charles did not interrupt his summing up.

### PUZZLED

The judge confessed himself "very puzzled" over the allegation by the Crown that Major had a second and fatal dose of strichine on May 24—the day he died.

He pointed out that strichine was very bitter in taste, and that if the second dose was in the glass of water that Major drank, then that small bulk of water had to contain a quantity of strichine which, according to the medical evidence, would require 2½ pints of water to dissolve it.

"It is very puzzling—really puzzling," commented the Judge. "One casts about in one's mind about how the second dose could happen. It is difficult to imagine

the chaplain said "Amen," and then Mrs. Major broke down completely. Her wailing could be heard in the corridors outside the court.

She was carried out on the

### FLORAL SLEEVES

Organdie Blossoms Sewn on Net

### AFTERNOON DRESS



Little floral sleeves, the blossoms set on net, are a novel feature of this afternoon dress. Each flower is made of coloured organdie. The dress is cut on Princess lines, and has cashmere coming from either side and tying at the back.

### FOR A FESTIVE OCCASION

If you are giving a party for small children you want to have everything on the table especially attractive. One dish that will appeal to them is called fairy candles, and each candle is made of fruits and nuts. Get a round of tinned pineapple and, into the hole in the centre, fit half a banana. To make the banana fit you may have to trim the lower part a little. Then, from an almond, cut a piece to act as the wick for the candle. The flame is a glace cherry pressed on the top of the nut wick. When a number of the candles are arranged on a dish they look very pretty.

that you could administer things so frightfully bitter without the man expelling it directly."

The judge also referred to the question of the poisoned dog.

"That is another strange happening," he said. "Criminals do amazingly stupid things, but you may think that this was transcendental stupidity to go out into a place where everyone can see you, where a neighbour is looking at you, and scrape the meat off the plate and give it to this dog."

The summing-up lasted an hour and a half, and then the jury retired.

As they filed out of the court, the three women leading, Mrs. Major stood between the two wardresses, who supported her.

### THE JURY RETURNS

The jury were absent just a little over an hour.

When Mrs. Major was brought up from the cells one glance at the jury seemed to convince her that her fate was sealed. She sobbed.

The foreman of the jury returned the verdict of Guilty, and added: "We also wish to express our view that a strong recommendation to mercy should be given to the prisoner."

Asked if she had anything to say, Mrs. Major replied: "I am innocent."

Mr. Justice Charles, with a falter in his voice, passed sentence of death.

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### GOLD HUNTERS SET FREE

### BUT COSTA RICA SEIZES GEAR

The British treasure hunters who were arrested on Cocos Island and brought to Punta Arenas have been released.

The Costa Rica Government, however, is keeping all their equipment, which was confiscated as contraband.

The party is now returning to England by way of Panama.

They appeared in the local court in Punta Arenas, Costa Rica, and in accordance with the instructions of President Jiminez made a declaration that they were merely the servants of the company entitled Treasury Recovery, Limited, which had been formed in England to finance the expedition.

They were then informed that they might leave the country.

Mr. Stratford D. Jolly, one of the organisers of the party, testified in court that the expedition had never thought of attempting to place Cocos Island under the British flag. He had understood that permission to seek for treasure in the island had been secured by the directors of the company before the expedition started.

### GETTING IDEAS.

A party of professors from Liverpool University recently went on a journey of inspection through Germany to see the buildings and contents of the most renowned German libraries in order to gain experience for a projected new library in Liverpool. The first destination of this board of professors consisting of Senior Librarian W. Garman Jones, Mr. Stanley Dumbell, Mr. Lionel B. Buddon and the architect Harold A. Dodd, was Hamburg where they paid a visit of inspection to the State and University Libraries accompanied by the Director Professor Dr. Wahl.

shoulders of a warden, with a warden holding each arm.

Mr. Justice Charles excused the jury from further service for ten days.

### EXECUTIONS RARE

Until this sentence, the last woman to be sentenced to death in Great Britain was Mrs. Jeannie Donald, of Aberdeen, at Edinburgh last August. She has since been reprieved.

In 1931, Mrs. Wise, of Walthamstow, was sentenced to death at the Old Bailey for the murder of her nine-months-old baby, but she was reprieved and released in July 1932.

Sentences of death were carried out in the following cases:—1900, Louise Masset; murder of her son; Newgate.

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1903, Annie Walters and Amelia Sachs; baby farming murders; Holloway.

1903, Emily Swann (with her lover, John Gallagher) at Holloway for murdering Emily Swann's husband.

1907, Mrs. Leslie James, alias Rhoda Willis; baby farming murderer; Cardiff.

1928, Mrs. Thompson, of Ilford (with Bywaters), for the murder of her husband, at Holloway.

The last woman to be executed in this country was Mrs. Louie Calvert for the murder of Mrs. Waterhouse, her landlady. She was executed at Strangeways, Manchester, in 1926.

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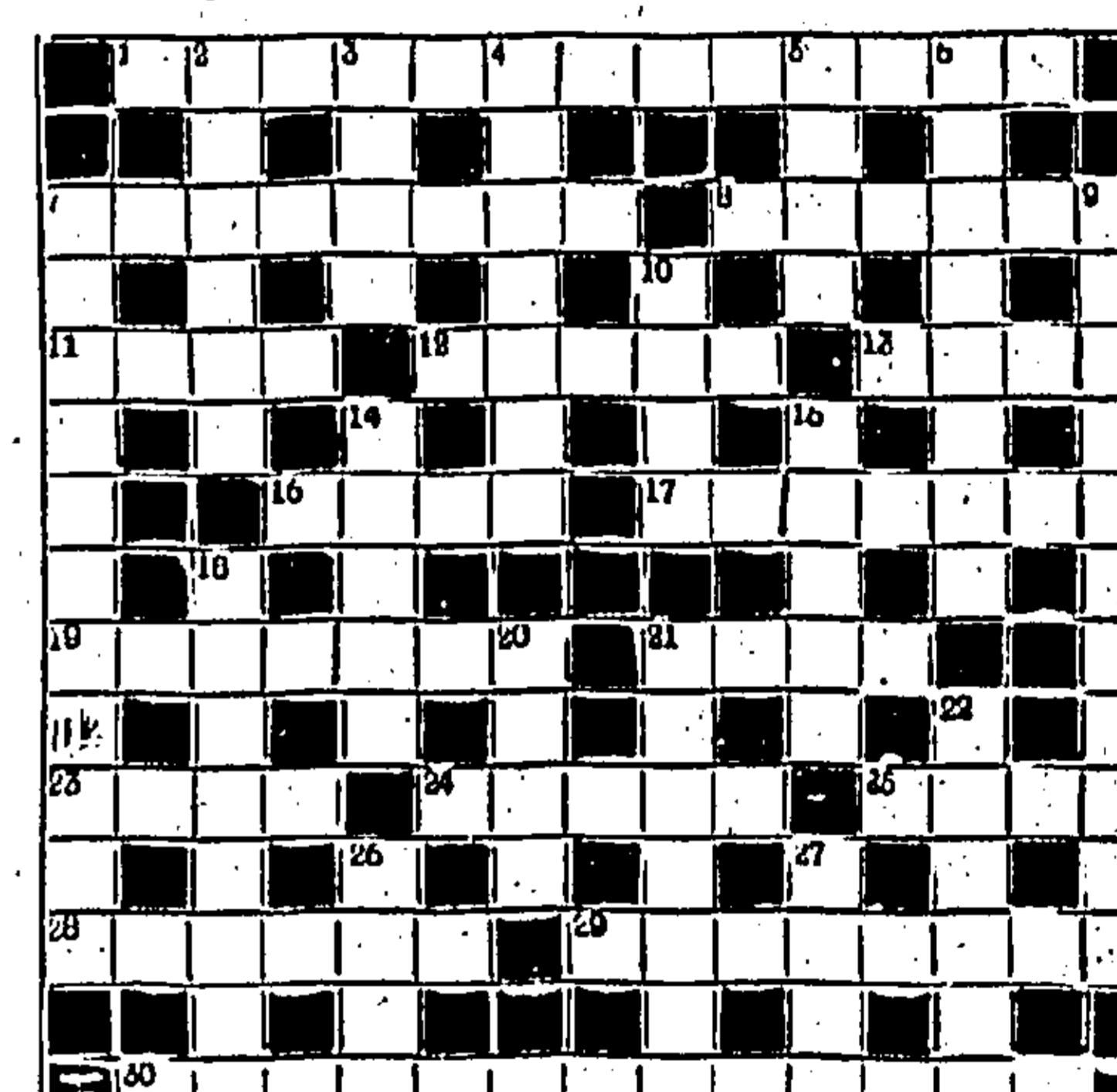
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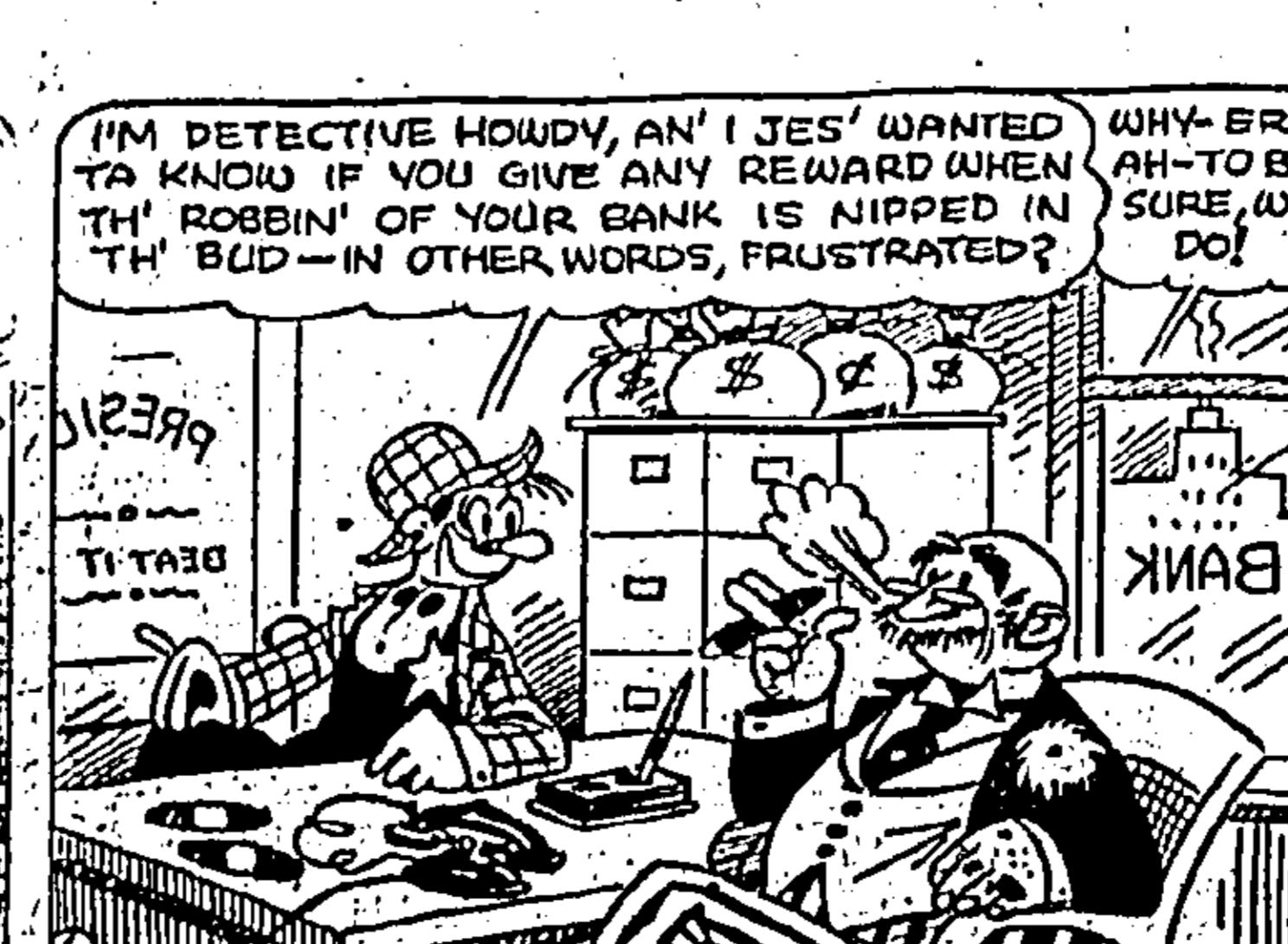


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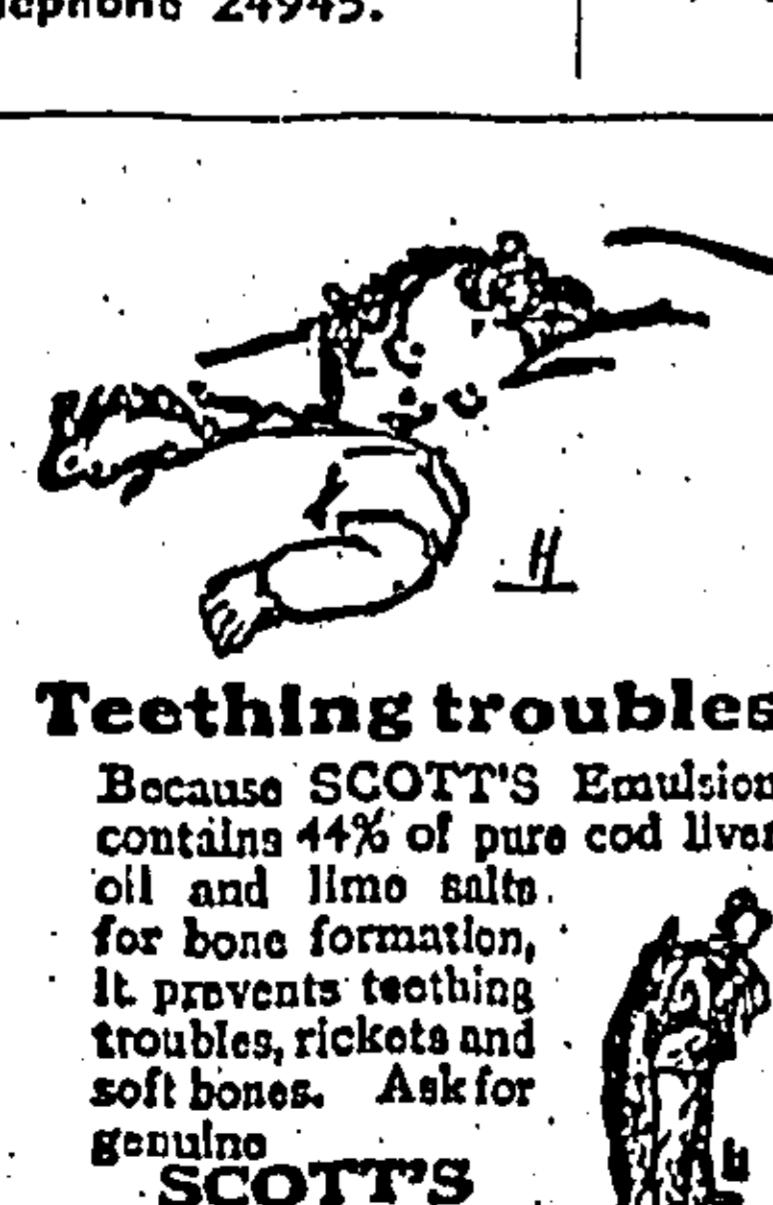
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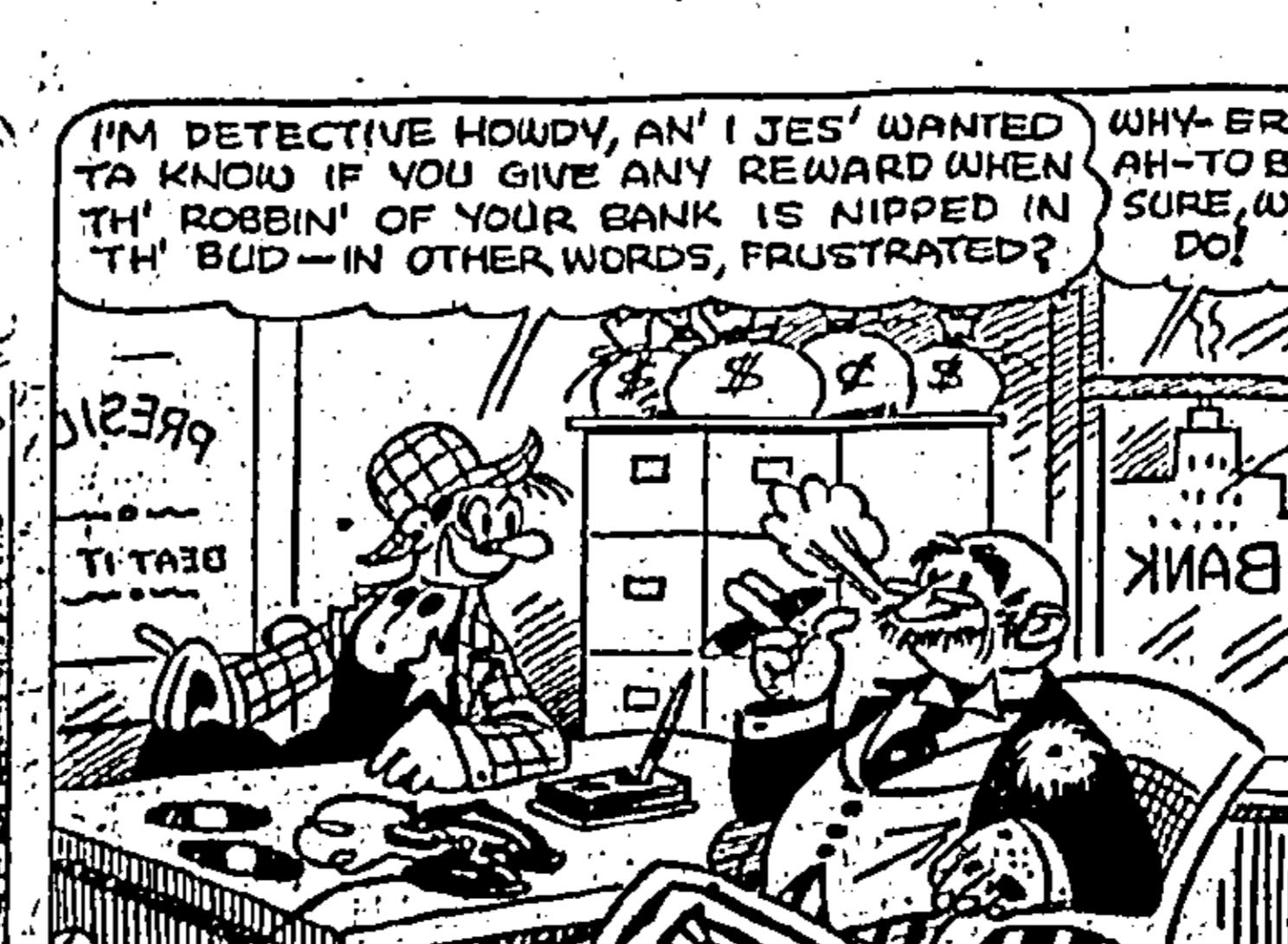
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## BIRD IMMIGRANTS IN BRITAIN

FROM A CORRESPONDENT  
In a West of England garden, high up on the ridge of the hill, in an exposed position, was a very large aviary containing a variety of the hardy kinds of foreign birds. Most of them had come out of tiny cages, and because their owner loved them a large place was set aside for them where they would have, as far as possible, natural conditions.

In this wired-in sanctuary there were tall trees, birch, poplar, may, lilac, and different kinds of conifers. There were also thick, low-growing bushes of stellaria, juniper, box, dogwood, veronica, and escallonia, making a thicket of undergrowth between the trees which opened out to a wide space, grass-sown and planted with flowers. Here was a tiny rock garden and a large shallow bird bath of rugged stone sheltered by thickly growing montbretia, the base of it overgrown with blue campanula. A little path led to the bird house, the pigeonhole of which stood always open, night and day.

All the birds became acclimated, and after a few years they returned to their wild state and would not roost under any roof. Early in the autumn of last year several nests of heather were brought in and piled up between the bushes, making an almost impenetrable thicket some 2ft. or 3ft. deep. In this they roosted through bitter cold, ice, snow, frost, fog, and heavy rains without coming to the least harm. Not one was sick or sorry. Early in the spring they began to think about building and were supplied with hay, straw, and combed-out clean hair of white dogs, ends of coloured knitting wool, moss, and hair. Very tiny twigs and more substantial ones were scattered on the ground, but as a rule the birds preferred to select and peck at twigs from the trees and heather.

### CARDINALS' HOME.

A pair of green cardinals were the first to go to nest. They hatched and reared six strong young birds, of which the cock particularly was inordinately proud. Their nest was closely woven, beautifully made of twigs and moss and lined with dog's hair and coloured wool. They built it high up in the top of a fir tree, but pulled the first nest to pieces and built another with the same materials for their second family. A pair of red-created cardinals built a boat-shaped nest entirely of very fine heather twigs in the middle of a may tree. It was unlined and quite transparent, although evidently very strong, for it weathered some rough winds. At half-past 5 or thereabouts on a warm spring morning the cock would take his hen's place on the nest, and sit there singing joyously to himself, while she hunted for spiders and grubs, or preened her feathers in the sun before flying to the bird table for seed. Weavers of various kinds in the aviary were hardly expected to breed, but one morning, sitting in a row along a ruddy dogwood twig, were three or four tiny youngsters, impudent and fully fledged, the first of several later broods. No one ever discovered where the nests were, but one day someone found a lovely weaver's nest closely woven of long grass and slung like a pochette between four tall Shasta daisy blossoms. It was quite beautiful and unlike the toy nests that these little birds so often make.

### THE EXPERIMENT

Spring passed into summer, and it was then decided to try an experiment. The sides of the aviary were taken down and all the birds were allowed to go free. Would they stay on in the garden, or would they disappear? They were hardly enough to survive the winter, and they were not likely to be caught or shot in that neighbourhood, but they would still have to be fed; and herein lies a difficulty, for there are many wild British bird friends who take it as their right to share all and everything that is put out for the foreigners, which makes feeding a very expensive business.

It is several weeks ago now since they were set completely free, and they have not gone away, but still live in the garden and in an adjoining garden; but in the late summer they returned to the aviary to build and even brought building materials there from the fields. The weavers have chummed up with a flock of chaffinches and they always fly together. The green and red created cardinals keep themselves more to themselves, though they are perfectly friendly with the wild birds too. It is a very pretty sight to see them feeding out of the same seed pan with the blue tits and yellowhammers and to watch the gorgeously feathered orange bishops and Napoleons swinging on the sunflowers, or pecking seed among a crowd of green-finches and chaffinches.

### IMPROVED BY EXILE.

One thing is noticeable: all the foreign birds have improved in condition, are far stronger on the wing, and have grown in size since they have had their freedom. They are still partial to mealworms and come for them to a whistler from any part of the garden, but the cardinals all go wild worm hunting with the thrushes and black-birds. Dishes of seed are kept always in the aviary and in different parts of the garden, also bread popped in milk and squeezed almost dry, which the young birds devour greedily.

The amusing part of the experiment is this, that the wild birds seem to prefer the aviary to the garden, for two pairs of robins, a wren, several greenfinches, and three thrushes have taken up permanent residential quarters there. And if there is a storm, or much rain, or fog, it is always found full of foreigners once more. It is hoped that they will naturalize and that perhaps in the future there may be new hybrids among British wild birds.

### GERMANY TALKS ON THE AIR

To the South-West of Berlin a new German wireless station is now in construction which is to be the biggest in Germany. According to the plans of the German Reich Post Office which is responsible for German wireless the new station should be finished in about two years. The aerials are to be erected in quite a new way. Seven masts each 775 feet high are to be erected so that they form a circle in the middle of which is the central mast. This method is considered to be the secret of a perfect wave radiation.

## AMERICA'S AERIAL DEFENCES

### STRONG FORCE OF FIGHTERS

### MOBILITY AN ESSENTIAL

Washington, Nov. 10.

The war department is planning an aerial defence for America comprehensive enough to repel attack from any quarter.

This is to be accomplished through organisation of the new general headquarters air force, under direct command of the Chief of Staff of the Army. This new air armada is to be capable of repelling the most determined invasion of hostile air forces, and mobile enough to be concentrated in any part of the United States within three or four days of the sounding of general alarm.

The plan was announced at almost the same moment Brigadier General William Mitchell was charging before the Federal Aviation Commission that military aircraft development was being frustrated by "boy scouts" in the War Department.

The General Headquarters Air Force is to consist, for the present, of some 450 fighting planes—bombers, pursuit and attack ships—concentrated at seven or eight army

air fields stretching from coast to coast. The formation of this air force, according to members of the General Staff, means that Americans everywhere may look forward without fear of seeing the wings of foreign air raiders.

### 48 UNITS

The plan was announced by the Secretary of War, Mr. George H. Dern, who orders the grouping of practically all the serviceable army planes into 48 combat units.

The General Headquarters Air Force will be counted upon to repel hostile air attacks, keep attacking warships at bay until the navy can arrive on the scene, and hold the first line of national defence generally until ground forces can be mobilised.

Putting the plan into execution at this time affords the general staff an opportunity to even a number of old scores, in addition to giving the country the most formidable fighting air force it has ever possessed.

It is calculated to weaken, if not silence, the proponents of the "separate air force service" comprising the air forces of both the U.S. Army and Navy, and to head off a possible recommendation of the Federal Aviation Commission for creation of a separate air force.

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authorities of his office to supervision over servicing of planes and the operation of air depots and air corps schools. Gen. Fulop publicly favoured the creation of a separate army and navy air force.

Mr. Mitchell, one of the most outspoken of the army's air policy critics, recently recommended to the Aviation Commission, the building of a fleet of 60 dirigibles, flanked by bombing planes able to cruise long distances and "capable of attacking Japan."

"Japan is our most dangerous enemy," he said.—United Press.

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J. T. BAGRAM,  
Hon. Secretary.  
Hongkong, 24th November, 1934.

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## PUZZLE FOR COURT SOLVED

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Defendant's bail of \$20 was remitted.

Insp. Murphy: What shall we do with the owl, your Worship?

The Magistrate: Under the Ordinance it is to be forfeited.

Mr. Booth: We might let it go. It is a wild bird.

Your Worship agreed to this course.

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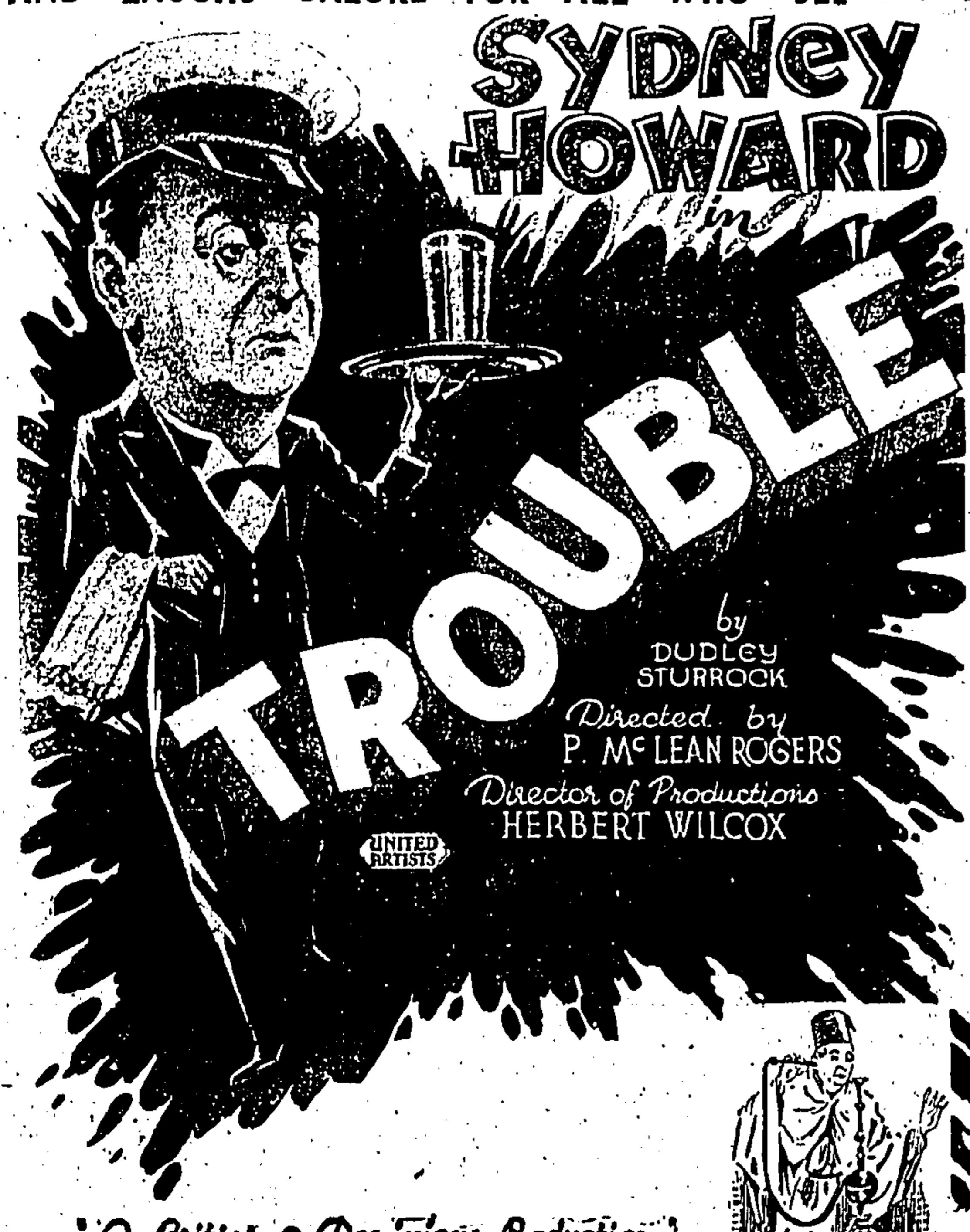
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HARRY ORO'S PUPILS' CONCERT

Good Piano Work Last Night

Harry Oro's piano pupils' concerts used to be an annual event. Then he left us for two years but fortunately he is with us once again, and yesterday's concert at the Helena May Institute proved that he is developing some very promising talent among the Chinese.

It is a melancholy fact that there are scarcely any budding pianists among the British community here. Out of ten performers on yesterday's programme, one was French and nine were Chinese. Young China is rapidly developing appreciation of western classical music, but so far most of its interest is centred on the piano. Except in the many cases where the executants' hands are too small for really efficient piano work, there is evidence of a marked adaptability to the instrument, their fingers being particularly flexible and their touch sensitive. Some reveal true musical understanding and musicianship.

At yesterday's concert we had the opportunity of hearing a young Chinese male pianist, quite an unusual event in Hongkong. This was Mr. Clement Leong, whose musical and artistic rendering of the first movement of a Beethoven Sonata showed remarkable promise. He had the strength and larger hands which place him at an advantage over the young ladies, nearly all of whom have this obstacle to overcome.

Miss Tao Kit-ngaan gave an effective and musical performance of Liszt's Liebestraum and a Bach Fugue, the former being played from memory. Miss Ethel Bunker, too, showed musical understanding in a Chopin Polonaise.

Miss Ma Si-deung is of stronger build and is technically very proficient already; in time she will be a very good player. Miss Bella Ma is a sister of Daisy Ma (now Mrs. Yuen), who is the most musical Chinese girl Mr. Oro has numbered amongst his pupils. She used to be a regular performer at his concerts and they seem to be incomplete without her. Her younger sister is less musically developed but shows promise and there is no reason at all why she should not take Daisy Ma's place one day as a "star" pupil.

Another cultured Chinese girl pianist was Miss Mary Hsu, who previously studied at the Shanghai Conservatoire. Her playing of the Largo by Glinka-Balakireff was a beautiful piece of work. Miss Lee Chi-yin also played two pieces by Beethoven and Mendelssohn very creditably. The Misses V. and I. Lam, in piano duet, overcame all the technical difficulties in spite of their tiny hands and showed a marked sense of rhythm and very clean playing.

Last, but not least, Madame Esville gave a very musical and quite faultless rendering of a Chopin Study, followed by Debussy's Jardins sous la Pluie, which demands considerable fluency of technique and plenty of atmosphere. She played them both from memory.

Mr. Oro regards his pupils' concerts as a "public practice," to give his young pianists an opportunity for overcoming stage fright,

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CORRESPONDENCE

Street Sleepers' Shelter Society

The Editor,  
Hongkong Telegraph

Sir,—It is a matter of much concern to the Executive Committee that our appeal for Volunteer Helpers and \$3,000 which will be required for this winter's work has, so far, met with so little response. The original shelter at the former St. Peter's Church, West Point, open on December 1st and the work will be carried out on similar lines to last year. It may be of interest to note that from December 1st last year to 14th April of this year, 16,372 people were registered, who would otherwise have had to sleep in the streets. Copies of report of last year's work are available and may be had at Messrs. Kelly and Walsh and the Colonial Dispensary.

In addition, through the kindness of the Directors of the Tung Wah Hospital, we have this winter been able to rent a 3-storeyed house off Po Yan Street which we hope will accommodate 144 persons, and which we anticipate will be opened about the middle of December.

It will thus be seen that we shall need considerably more helpers as well as more funds to equip and organize the two shelters, and we, as a Committee, do appeal most strongly to the public for support, if we are to continue with this work.

Volunteer helpers, speaking English or Chinese are needed, men especially. Enrolment forms may be had on application to Miss Atkins, St. Stephen's Girls' College, Lyttleton Road, Tel. 21551 or to any of the places mentioned on the posters. Donations may be sent to Mr. Li Hol-tung, c/o Banker & Co. Ltd., 4 Queen's Road, Central or to Mr. R. Ashton Hill, c/o H.K. University.

N. V. HALVARD,  
CHAIRMAN, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

and under the circumstances one or two slight lapses of memory were quite understandable.

Towards the close of the recital, Mr. Conrado de la Cruz (violinist) gave a brilliant rendering of Vieuxtemps' Ballade and Polonaise.

The piano solos were relieved by four part songs rendered by the German Mixed Choir conducted by Harry Oro. The men's voices were quite good, but the sopranos were not always quite in tune. All their songs were enjoyable, particularly a Swedish Wedding March by Soedermann and an Old German Folksong by Vogel.

Finally, Harry Oro proceeded to show Young China how the piano can be played if the pianist is endowed with the necessary physique as well as a fluent technique. He performed amazingly.

acrobatic feats with dazzling effect in Liszt's Twelfth Hungarian Rhapsody. But it was not all heavy stuff. Harry Oro can play extremely delicately when the music calls for it. As was once said of Egon Petri in a critique: "He can play as delicately as a cat walks on velvet or thunder with the hammer of Thor." Mr. Oro did both last night, and the piano stood up to it very well.

ALLEGRO.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day: Duisburg, Anking, Haikou, Katori Maru, Carthage, Pres. McKinley, Tanda, Anhui, Chung-king, Achilles, Kwangtung, Tango Maru, Tokwa Maru, Tilawa, Taiming, Hydrangea, Hongpeng, Glenshiel.

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TUESDAY, NOV. 27, 1934.

## SILVER SMUGGLING PROBLEM

Shanghai is again the centre of rumours regarding possible further measures by the Chinese Government to protect its currency. The outflow of silver still continues, despite the embargo, and there is now talk of a possible announcement banning the conversion of banknotes into silver. This, however, is denied by the Ministry of Finance. But whatever further action, if any, is to be taken, it is apparent that a serious drain on currency persists. Figures just published show that from January to October, over \$212,000,000 worth of silver was exported from Shanghai, of which over \$42,000,000 worth relates to the month of October alone. Since then, silver has been pouring out of the country, in defiance of the embargo. Indeed, the smuggling which has been taking place, and which still continues, must represent a colossal sum. The plain fact, of course, is that the embargo is actually defeating its avowed purpose. As a result of the restrictions, there is such a disparity between silver values in China and those abroad that it is a paying proposition to export the metal. This explains the smuggling, in which, it is believed, there is considerable connivance on the part of provincial officials. Despite the vigilance of the Customs authorities, who are naturally quite unable to cover every point of egress, silver is every day leaving the country in large amounts. If the process persists, the consequences must be disastrous.

Matters have now reached such a stage that a strong doubt must exist in official circles as to the wisdom of the embargo measures. From this standpoint, there is a great deal to be said for the viewpoint of those who contend that there should be no interference with the free movement of silver. Mr. E. Kann, the noted authority on Chinese currency, is of this school of thought. He has suggested that much of the present evil is due to the fact that China imports such immense quantities of agricultural produce, and that if adequate steps were taken to render the country more self-supporting in this respect, the result would be to check the out-

flow of silver. Such a process, however, would of necessity be very slow in operation and could have no immediate effect on the situation. In spite of the undesirable reactions of high silver prices on China's exports, the fact remains that prior to the imposition of the embargo, the adverse balance of trade was gradually diminishing. Present currency restrictions may be helpful in hastening this process, but as against that fact has to be placed the seriousness of the continued drain of silver. Viewing the advantages and the disadvantages of the embargo, it is much to be doubted whether the former outweigh the latter. That it is defeating one of its main objects is apparent. The question for immediate consideration is what, if any, measures can be devised for dealing with what is without question the biggest currency crisis with which China has been faced for many years.

**"UP, ULSTER!" TO MEET A FOREIGN FOE**

## FROM "THE LIFE OF LORD CARSON"

LONG after the events in Ulster, which threatened to lead to civil war, Mr. Asquith and Lord Carson, the two antagonists in the struggle, talked the matter over. The two men had become reconciled by greater events. Mr. Asquith told Carson that he had never intended to prosecute him because he feared that he could not have secured a conviction.

"You need have had no fear," said Carson, "for I should have pleaded guilty."

"Guilty!" said Mr. Asquith in astonishment.

"Yes," Carson replied, "I should have pleaded guilty and I should have said, 'My Lord Judge and gentlemen of the jury: I was born under the British flag, and loyal subject of His Majesty the King. So much do I value this birthright that I was even prepared to rebel in order to defend it. If to fight, so to remain like yourselves a loyal subject of His Majesty be a crime, my Lord and gentlemen of the jury, I plead guilty.' And where," added Carson, "would you have been then?"

"That only shows," replied Asquith, "that I was even wiser in not prosecuting you than I thought I was."

The story is told in the second volume of the Life of Lord Carson. The author, Mr. Ian Colvin, has continued the work which was left unfinished by the tragic death of Mr. Edward Marjoribanks. He tells the story of Lord Carson from the time that he took up the leadership of Northern Ireland, until the outbreak of war.

In December, 1913, Lord Carson and Mr. Asquith, the Prime Minister, met in secret at the house of Mr. Edwin Montagu.

"In the absence of any record," Mr. Colvin writes, "I can only say that in Carson's recollection the conversation was 'general,' leading nowhere. He does, however, recall one passage, no doubt characteristic.

"I have no doubt, Mr. Prime Minister," said Carson, "you have thought out very carefully what you intend to do when they resist your Bill in Ulster, and when the first five hundred Ulstermen are shot down in Belfast . . ."

"My God," said Asquith, jumping up in alarm. "Five hundred! I tell you that if one Ulsterman was shot in such a struggle it would be a disaster of the first magnitude."

"I could not have done it better myself," the old soldier remarked as he left the house."

On July 20, 1914, the King called a conference at Buckingham Palace.

According to Mr. Colvin there was never any approach to agreement, but greater events intervened.

"The two furies of domestic and foreign war were running neck and neck," but when the crisis came, the "inveterate antagonists, obeying the common instincts of the British race, formed front to meet a foreign foe."



"See, daddy eats his cereal, mamma eats her cereal."

**The Very Idea!**

## BUMBLEBELLES LETTERS

By Juliet Lowell

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Gentlemen:

Burma Shave is great for shaving but it is better for a tooth paste.

However it makes too much lather for washing teeth as I will explain and ask you to find out if you have another grade with not so much lather.

The other day I said to myself if it makes my beard so soft it must be good for washing teeth if I do not swallow it so I tried it.

Just then my wife came in and when I tried to answer some fool question she asked me, the lather bubbled out of my mouth and my wife thought I had fits and ran from the house screaming to the neighbours.

It took me some time to explain to them what had happened.

I think if you would put out a Burma-Tooth Wash it would be a success if it did not lather too much.

Your Burma user to the end.

Caspar M.

(signed)



My wife thought I had fits and ran from the house screaming to the neighbours.

**"Let's Talk About You"**

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October 30th, 1934.

Dr. George Kohut,

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Dear George:

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My room is literally laden with presents. My telephone is ringing morning, noon, and night. Every body is inviting me to dinners and giving parties in my honour. People seem to know me and stop to stare. I attract attention wherever I go.

Even in the restaurants the waiters recognise me and the news of my presence spreads like wildfire.

Well, I guess this is enough about me. Let's talk about you. How did you enjoy my book?

As Ever,

Ernest.

**From Home**

The latest fashion in Paris and London is for women to wear toe-rings with bare feet.

**Gossip Item**

THE same day as I read this, I wandered into the salon of one of my Society friends and found a pretty "Dob" seated in front of the fire with her bare feet on the mantelpiece. On the fourth toe of her left foot was a gorgeous half-hoop diamond ring.

"No fun in being engaged unless you can show off the ring," she told me, shifting her foot to the chandelier and hanging head downwards. Then, dropping suddenly, she walked out on her hands past two snoring spinners.

At this moment her fiance entered the room. I was surprised to note he was quite bald and wore a ring through his nose.

**Man's Best Friend**

PICTURE me, strong, silent, and handsome, stretched out to my full 6ft. 4in. before a roaring fire on a chill autumn evening. Stretched on the hearth beside me is Romeo, strong, silent and faithful, his big brown eyes staring up at me affectionately.

I began to read a learned professor's lecture. "The idea that the dog is man's best friend is moonshine . . . If they could tell us how they really regard us . . .

Romeo suddenly sat up, and snarled. "Quite right, too," he snarled, "what have I to thank you for? A few lousy biscuits and an occasional bone you've gnawed at yourself for a week."

"Really, Romeo, I never thought . . .

"Never thought, you smug hypocrite. Don't I know it. I mouch around here all day, then at night, every night. It's that eternal, senseless walk . . . always at five minutes before the pubs close and always round the same measly houses. Why can't you read me a little poetry now and then, or play me a Beethoven symphony, or even discuss big political issues like the House of Lords reform?"

"But, Romeo, I hadn't any idea you . . .

"You never had, you patrician bore. You make me sick. I'm going out. And you needn't wait up."

## Manchuria Mail Route Approved

### RECOGNITION NOT IMPLIED

Geneva, Nov. 23.

The League of Nations to-day published a summary of the replies from its member states and the United States in regard to the transmission of mails through Manchuria.

All the states agreed that the transmission of mail by this route should be continued, but emphasized that the approval does not involve the recognition of Manchukuo.

The nations have thus accepted the recommendations of the League Advisory Committee on this subject, whose findings were made known on May 16, 1934.—Reuters.

## CHINA BESET BY SMUGGLERS

### QUANTITY OF JAPAN GOODS SEIZED

Tientsin, Nov. 27.

The Tientsin Chinese Customs authorities are alarmed over the widespread wave of smuggling along the whole Customs line under its jurisdiction in North China.

Besides numerous cases of smuggling of foreign goods through the Great Wall, discovered at the stations of five passes, another huge consignment of smuggled goods of Japanese origin, which was assessed at over \$200,000, was seized on board a steamer yesterday outside Chinwangtung Harbour by the local Customs guards.

All the smuggled goods are to be taken to Tientsin for disposal to-day.—Central News.

### THEFT OF AN UMBRELLA

### TWO MEN CAUGHT AND CONVICTED

Li Sam pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Magistracy this morning to stealing a black umbrella from No. 15 Sal Street.

Chan Hin, unemployed, also pleaded guilty to a charge of being found in the stairway of the premises for an unlawful purpose. Det-Sgt. Baldwin, for the prosecution, said that at 6.30 p.m. on Sunday, three Chinese women were having their meal in a cubicle when they saw the first defendant enter the premises and steal the umbrella. They raised an alarm and one of the women chased him. He ran to the roof and was caught by a neighbour.

At the same time, the second man, Chan Hin, was seen to run down the stairs. He was chased by another of the women and was eventually caught near Queen's Road Central.

Li Sam was sentenced to three weeks, and a fine of \$16, with the alternative of three weeks' hard labour, was imposed on Chan Hin.

### FISHERY DISPUTE BOARDS

### ANGLO-NORWEGIAN PERSONNEL

London, Nov. 26.

The two Boards envisaged in the recent agreement between the United Kingdom and Norway regarding the settlement of claims between British and Norwegian fishermen have now been constituted.

Commander Cumming, British Vice-Consul in Northern Norway, and Monsieur Bassec, Governor of Flmark, will sit on the Board in Norway, and Mr. Noss Blundell, Chief Inspector of Fisheries, and Monsieur Ardvord, Counsellor to the Norwegian Legation in London, will sit on the corresponding Board in Britain.—British Wireless.

### HAWKER CAUGHT

### FINED FOR CRYING WARES

A hawker, named Chan Chun, was fined \$1 by Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning for crying his wares in On-Lan Street, in the vicinity of Wyndham Street, which is a prohibited area.

The s.s. "Tilnegara" one of the "Big Three" of the J. C. J. Line is due here to-morrow at 7 a.m. instead of Thursday morning as scheduled. Among the cargoes to be discharged will be 75 cases of fresh mangoes from East Java, and large consignment of sugar from Batavia.

## KOWLOON DOG SUMMONSES

### TWO CASES BEFORE COURT

W. H. Thomas, No. 14 York Road, appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, in answer to a summons for allowing his dog abroad without a muzzle on November 3.

It was stated by an Indian constable that at 4.45 p.m. on November 3, he saw a black and white dog roaming in Rutland Quadrant without a muzzle. Witness followed the dog to No. 14 York Road, and there he spoke to a European lady, who was standing at the door and had seen the dog enter the gate.

Witness alleged that the lady refused to give the name and address of the owner. He returned to the Police Station and a European constable was sent to the house.

Defendant stated that he was not at home on the day in question, but his "boy" told him that the dog had not been out.

Hearing was adjourned to noon on Tuesday, December 4.

S. W. Hamilton, 274 Prince Edward Road, appeared in answer to a similar summons and was fined \$8.

Defendant stated that the dog jumped over the fence, and was immediately chased and caught by his "boy." Only five minutes elapsed between the time the dog got away and was brought back.

Defendant produced a certificate that the dog had been inoculated against rabies.

### CYCLIST OFFERS BRIBE

### KOWLOON TONG INCIDENT

On his appearance before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, Wong Cheung, aged 28, a pig dealer, faced charges of failing to have full control over his bicycle, and of offering \$1.61 as a bribe to Sergeant Nizam Din, B330.

It was stated by Sergeant Nizam Din that at 1 p.m. yesterday, he saw defendant riding a bicycle in Cumberland Road, Kowloon Tong. Defendant had both hands off the handlebars, so witness arrested him. On reaching Prince Edward Road, when witness was taking defendant to the Police Station, defendant took some money out of his pocket and said to witness: "Take this money and let me go." Witness refused to, and defendant then pushed the money into witness' hand. Witness denied having asked for the money.

Defendant stated that there was a strong wind blowing, and he had only taken his hands off the handlebars to catch hold of his hat. Defendant alleged that the sergeant asked for the money.

"I don't believe you," said His Worship on convicting the defendant and imposing a fine of \$5 on the first charge, and \$25, in default one month's imprisonment, on the second. The money, \$1.61, was ordered to be put in the Poor Box.

### COMPANY LIQUIDATION

### MEETING HELD THIS MORNING

At an extraordinary general meeting of the United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Ltd. (In voluntary liquidation) held at 11 a.m. to-day, in Queen's Building the Hon. S. H. Dodwell, on behalf of the Liquidators, Messrs. Dodwell & Co., Ltd., read the following statement of the Liquidators for the fifth year of the Liquidation: "We have pleasure in submitting a statement showing the process of the winding up of the Company during the fifth year of the Liquidation. This has followed the normal course and there is little cause for particular comment."

"We have reduced the Liquidation expenses by letting storage space at the Godown. The remaining Asset comprises land and buildings. We are making strenuous efforts to dispose of this. At present it is in the hands of several agents for disposal.

"The metallisation plant was disposed of in August, and the proceeds from this will come into our next statement of account."

A fencing display and Arts and Crafts exhibition is to be held in the Central and Soldiers' Home on Wednesday evening, November 28, at 8 p.m. The exhibition will include radio transmission, photography, stamp, butterflies, leather craft, pewter work, barbed wire painting, model railways, model ships, rug-making, frut-work and painted glass, home-made motor boats, etc.

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## ROYALTY FLOCKS TO LONDON

### COLOURFUL PREPARATION FOR PRINCE'S WEDDING

London, Nov. 26.

Not since pre-War days have so many members of Royal families been present together in London.

To-night the first of the official festivities in connection with the Royal Wedding, was held at Buckingham Palace when the King and Queen gave a dinner party to the Royal visitors. Three ruling Monarchs, King George, King Christian of Denmark and King Haakon of Norway were at head of the table and altogether 98 guests were present.

### HARVEY-NEUSEL FIGHT DRAWN

### Twelve Rounds In Wembley Ring

London, Nov. 26.

Len Harvey, the British heavyweight, fought twelve rounds to a draw with the German invader, Walter Neusel.

The fight was hard from start to finish, and there was little between the two men at any time. Both men fought skilfully, Neusel with his usual tenacity, Harvey making use of long lefts and boxing prettily.—Reuters.

This morning's crowd at Buckingham Palace was rewarded for its patience by a sight of King Haakon and the King and Queen of Denmark and by the arrival of all eight bridesmaids who visited Princess Marina to talk over the wedding plans.

A considerable crowd watched their arrival—Indeed, popular interest in the wedding personalities is so great that Buckingham Palace and York House have their crowds of varying sizes from early morning until late at night, and on the wedding day the road and rail excursions from the provinces are expected to bring several hundred thousands of extra spectators to London.

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### MANY GIFTS

At York House the Duke of Kent received many delegations from different public bodies and diplomatic representatives of various countries bearing presents. The Prime Minister and the Cabinet are presenting the Duke with a study writing table and chair, a fine example of modern British craftsmanship.

Many London thoroughfares are already decorated for the wedding.

Princess Marina left Buckingham Palace for a drive this evening and called at York House to see Prince George. To-morrow there will be rehearsals of the wedding ceremony at the Palace in the morning and at the Palace in the afternoon. The second ceremony will take place in a private chapel at the Palace and the rehearsal will apply to the Greek Orthodox Church ceremony to be held there after the Duke of Kent and his bride return from Westminster Abbey.—British Wireless.



### DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

IT IS BETTER THAT A JUDGE SHOULD LEAN ON THE SIDE OF COMPASSION THAN SEVERITY.—Cer-tain.

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Cheung Sui who broke into 1035 Canton Road, first floor, at 1.50 p.m. yesterday, and stole a leather suit-case containing various articles of clothing, appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. On pleading guilty, defendant was sentenced to six months' hard labour. Sub-Inspector Mai stated that defendant had two previous convictions.

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Charged with attempting, at the Tung Fung Pawnshop, to pawn a coin which he alleged to be gold, Chan Yuk-kwong, unemployed, was sentenced to one month's hard labour. When he appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, it was stated that defendant went to the pawnshop, and attempted to pawn the coin for \$3. Defendant told Mr. Mai, the complainant of the pawnshop, that the coin was gold, but when it was tested, the inside was found to be brass.

## RADIO BROADCAST

### A Jazz Banjo And Piano Recital

### EUROPEAN PROGRAMME

From Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles).

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations.

7.08-7.30 p.m. Vocal Gems.

The Student Prince (Homborg).

Light Opera Company.

The Quaker Girl (Monckton).

Light Opera Company.

The Merry Widow (Lehar).

Light Opera Company.

7.30-8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Jazz Recital, by Fred Carpio.

Guitar and Banjo, Julian Silverio, Piano.

Programme.

1. Dainty Miss.

2. Nola.

3. Can Lopez.

4. Love in Bloom.

5. Feelin' my Way.

6. Pickin' my Way.

7. I've just had a Moment.

8. Lady Finger.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-8.35 p.m. Variety.

Vocal—You Oughta be in Pictures.

One morning in May.

Derrickson and Brown.

Songs—Love's Last Word is Spoken.

Out in the Cold, Cold Snow.

Grinch Fields. (Commedien).

Instrumental—Give me Liberty, or

Give me Love.

Melody in Spring.

The Four Bright Sparks.

Orchestra—Río Rita—Selection.

You're always in my arms.

Reginald King and his Orchestra.

Songs—Slumberland.

Josephine.

Len Allen (Baritone).

8.35-9 p.m. Symphony No. 4 ("Italian") in A Major (Mendelssohn). Sir Hamilton Harty conducting the Hallé Orchestra.

1st Movement—Allegro vivace.

2nd " " Andante con moto.

3rd " " Con moto moderato.

4th " " Saltarello.

9.30-9.50 p.m. From the Studio.

Peter Simple will give a talk on "Nothing in Particular"—Just a stroll along the Embankment.

10.40-10.50 p.m. Details.

Traumerei (For strings only) (Schumann).

Humoreske—Paraphrase (For Strings only) (Dvorak).

The J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.

La Cinquantaine (Gabriel Marie).

The J. H. Squire Celeste Octet.

9.30 p.m

# HOW PERRY RETAINED HIS PACIFIC TENNIS TITLES

## LEAGUE BADMINTON

### MIXED DOUBLES DIVISION

#### COMPLETE LIST OF FIXTURES

The following is the complete fixture list of the season for the mixed doubles division of the badminton league. It will be noticed that the majority of the matches are arranged for Mondays, the exception being the home games of the St. Andrew's Club and Y.M.C.A., for which separate dates have been given.

December 3: Recreio "A" v Y.M.C.A., K.C.C. v Fire Brigade, C.R.C. v Taiwoo.

December 10:—Recreio v Taiwoo, K.C.C. v C.R.C.

December 14:—Y.M.C.A. v Fire Brigade.

December 21:—Recreio "A" v Fire Brigade, Y.M.C.A. v C.R.C., K.C.C. v Recreio "B".

January 7:—Recreio "A" v Taiwoo, Fire Brigade v C.R.C.

January 11:—St. Andrew's v Taiwoo, Y.M.C.A. v Recreio "B".

January 14:—Recreio "A" v C.R.C., Taiwoo v K.C.C.

January 17:—St. Andrew's v K.C.C.

January 21:—Recreio "A" v K.C.C., C.R.C. v Recreio, Taiwoo v Y.M.C.A., Fire Brigade v St. Andrew's.

#### OTHER BADMINTON, ON PAGE 9

Andrew's, January 25:—St. Andrew's v Y.M.C.A.

January 28:—Recreio "A" v Recreio "B", K.C.C. v Y.M.C.A., C.R.C. v St. Andrew's, Taiwoo v Fire Brigade.

February 11:—Recreio "B" v St. Andrew's, Fire Brigade v K.C.C., Taiwoo v C.R.C.

February 15:—Y.M.C.A. v Recreio "A".

February 18:—Recreio "A" v St. Andrew's, Fire Brigade v Y.M.C.A., Taiwoo v Recreio "B", C.R.C. v K.C.C.

February 21:—St. Andrew's v Fire Brigade.

February 25:—Fire Brigade v Recreio "A", Taiwoo v St. Andrew's, C.R.C. v Y.M.C.A., Recreio "B" v K.C.C.

March 1:—St. Andrew's v Recreio "A".

March 4:—Taiwoo v Recreio "A", C.R.C. v Fire Brigade, K.C.C. v St. Andrew's, Recreio "B" v Y.M.C.A.

March 7:—St. Andrew's v C.R.C.

March 11:—C.R.C. v Recreio "A", Recreio "B" v Fire Brigade, K.C.C. v Taiwoo.

March 16:—Y.M.C.A. v St. Andrew's.

March 18:—K.C.C. v Recreio "A", Recreio "B" v C.R.C.

March 21:—St. Andrew's v Recreio "B".

March 22:—Y.M.C.A. v Taiwoo.

March 25:—Recreio "B" v Recreio "A", Fire Brigade v Taiwoo.

March 29:—Y.M.C.A. v K.C.C.



## BEATS LESTER STOEFEN AND DONALD BUDGE

### CONTINUALLY RAISES GAME TO OUTWIT RIVALS

#### ENGLISH GIRLS ALSO MEET WITH PRONOUNCED SUCCESS

The following descriptions of Perry's victories in the Pacific Southwest singles championship and Pacific Coast singles championship are contained in a recent issue of *American Lawn Tennis*, and indicate how brilliantly Perry retained his form during his visit to America.

Of the Pacific Southwest title match, the journal says:

The final match, Perry v Stoefen, resulted in tennis that was not as thrilling as might be expected but most interesting from a technical standpoint. Stoefen's powerful delivery made his service games almost certain winners, but he was unable to win Perry's service. Perry was consistent, although not as brilliant as usual, from the start. He was, however, able to bring off amazing shots when the tight moments came, and he often left Stoefen flat-footed by turning the latter's winners into aces for himself.

Stoefen's groundstrokes were very erratic throughout, thus assuring Perry of many points while Lester remained in the backcourt. The Englishman's drives were so consistent in their depth and accuracy that Stoefen was forced to miss many times simply because of the fact that he had to hit the ball while running away from it.

#### SLOW START

Perry started slowly, losing eight points in a row for the first two games. He retaliated, however, winning Stoefen's service in the third game and his own in the fourth. Games then went with service. Stoefen had matters their own way and netted four times before the final whistle.

The home side were without the services of Loarties, their regular inside right who is on the injured list. Their outstanding players were J. Ferreira, in the centre of the intermediate line, L. Perreira, right half, and Hugo Rosaria, inside left.

Lieut. Sinclair and Lieut. Holland-Martin were the pick of the visitors' side.

Next week-end Macao will entertain the Incognitos.

#### THIRD SET ROUT

The third set was more of a rout as Perry had by this time kicked Stoefen down to his own size and won the latter's service in the second game. He then strode into a quick 3-0 advantage, thereafter coasting in on his own delivery. As Stoefen remarked after the match, "I just can't stroke with that guy; I just can't!" And that is the story of Stoefen's downfall. Perry was just good enough on the baseline and Stoefen was not steady enough to offset the attack. Several times Stoefen held a 0-30 advantage and his ad on Perry's serve for a break, but each time the daring Britisher would come through with the necessary shots to take the point and pull himself out of danger.

## PACIFIC COAST TITLE

### PERRY ANNOYED WITH OFFICIALS

Perry defeated Donald Budge in the final of the Pacific Coast championship of which match, American *Lawn Tennis* writes:

Budge's splendid play against Stoefen caused a certain bullish tendency regarding his chances against Perry in the final. That he did not win was certainly no fault of his but, rather, only because Perry is no more or less than the greatest amateur player in the game to-day. This he clearly showed by his play against Budge for he was up against the best tennis Budge has shown to date on courts other than his particular liking and on which his opponent learned his game. Budge's play was awfully good, but simply not just good enough, and though he tried desperately until the last point Perry had control when it counted most.

#### PERRY UNDERESTIMATES

The first set found the Englishman a trifle inclined to underestimate the ability of his youthful opponent, and he erred frequently enough to drop the set at 6-3. From the start Budge played steadily and forcefully, and carried most of the attack to his opponent. The second and third sets were almost a repetition of each other.

Perry won each with a single service break, the second at 0-4 and the third at 7-5. His anticipation and court covering were beautiful to see and almost completely avoided the devastating effect of the forehand and backhand drives that Budge riled down the lines. Perry was most always there ahead of the ball and his own shots, taken on the rise, caused Budge to hurry his shots, and forced him into repeated errors.

#### BALLS THROWN AT LINEMEN

After the rest period Perry's game suffered a decided let down and lacked what he believed were some bad calls he appeared more interested in throwing balls at several of the offending linemen than paying much attention to Budge, who was playing extremely well. Between the combination the fourth set went to the Californian at 6-1. At this point Perry lost all interest in linemen and their idiosyncrasies and buckled down to business. He raised the level of his game and was after his man with a vengeance. But Budge had sensed victory and was not to be easily turned aside. The rallies lengthened and shots whistled from backhand corner to backhand corner as repeatedly hard



## F. A. CUP DRAW

### WEAKER CLUBS LUCKY

#### NEARLY ALL GET HOME GAMES

Although most of the smaller clubs were eliminated from the English Cup on Saturday, those who did survive have been fortunate in the draw for the second round, Dartford, a Southern League side, Yeovil and Petters, who sensationally ousted Crystal Palace, and Bath, conquerors of Guildford City on the latter's ground, all being at home in the next stage.

Furthermore if Blyth Spartans should beat Stockport in their first round replay, they will also be before their own supporters, as will also the winners of the all-amateur between Wimbleton and Leyton.

All of these teams can look forward to interesting matches. Bath receive Bolton, leaders of the Second Division, while Dartford are hosts to Bristol Rovers. It is quite possible for the Kent team to win here.

#### YEOVIL'S ATTRACTION

Yeovil have a great attraction, entertaining either Charlton or Exeter, two of the most attractive teams in the Third Division. Southend will be the visitors to either Wimbleton or Leyton.

Shildon Colliery, who played a highly creditable draw against Lincoln on Saturday, will, if they survive the replay at Lincoln this week, journey to Swindon, but their prospects of winning on the West country team's ground are as remote as those in their replay with Lincoln.

The second round of the Cup is to be played on December 8, is the last round before the entry of the competitors up to 64.

Nineteen of the teams which are figuring in the second round this year also won through to the same stage last winter, while there are 13 newcomers.

#### COMPLETE DRAW

The complete draw, with home teams named first, follows.

York	v. Southport or New Brighton
Dartford	v. Bristol Rovers
Clapton Orient	v. Chester
Blyth Spartans	v. Darlington
or Stockport	v. Shildon Colliery or Lincoln
Northampton	v. Workington
Mansfield	v. Tunbridge
Bath	v. Boston
Reading	v. Weymouth
Bury	v. Aldershot
Watford	v. Walsall
Yeovil & Petters	v. Charlton or Exeter
Wimbleton or Leyton	v. Southend
Queen's P. R.	v. Brighton
Halifax or Hartlepools	v. Coventry
Wigan	v. Torquay
Rotherham	v. Bristol City.

#### MEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES

2nd Round.—Madame Laffond and Walsham (-15.3) beat Mrs. Phillips (-40) 6/1, 6/1, Mrs. Annott (Scr) beat Mrs. Lammett (Scr) 6/1, 4/6, 6/2, Mrs. Eales (-16) beat Mrs. Owen (Scr) 6/2, 6/1, Mrs. Kanter (-30.3) beat Mrs. Hunt (-16.3) walk over.

#### WOMEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES

2nd Round.—Madame Laffond and Walsham (-15.3) beat Mrs. Ennis & Eales (Scr) 7/5, 6/3, Mrs. Hunt and Hunt (Scr) walk over against Mrs. Kidd & Kidd (plus 15.3), Mrs. Annott and Hannford (-3) beat Mrs. Hyslop and Whitmore (-15) 6/4, 1/6, 8/6, Mrs. Phillips and Bodker (-40) beat Mrs. Macdermott and Farmer (Scr) 6/2, 6/3.

#### MEN'S HANDICAP SINGLES

2nd Round.—Carpenter (Scr) beat Monroe (-8) 4/6, 6/2, 6/4, Walsham (-15.3) beat Annott (Scr) 6/3, 6/3, von Eesen (Scr) walk over against Whitmore (-15.3), Munro (-3) beat Terdore (Continued on Page 9.)

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# SHANGHAI B ADMINTON LEAGUE RECORD

## NO-FOUL RULE

Promoter To Appear Before B.B.B.C.

London, Nov. 6.  
Mr. Jeff Dickson, the boxing promoter, has received the following letter from the British Boxing Board of Control:

"The board (administrative steward) at a meeting yesterday had placed before them various reports, alleged to have been published under your authority, that you would defy the British Boxing Board of Control in regard to the question of the Rules of Boxing and put into operation a so-called no-foul rule at your next promotion at the Albert Hall."

"The stewards decided that you be asked to appear before them at their next meeting to explain your action in this matter."

The receipt of this letter, stated Mr. Dickson was a surprise to him because he has always been a staunch supporter of boxing control, and it was never his intention to doubt the board.

He could not institute a no-foul rule, because the referees, are licensed by the board and come under their jurisdiction.

## ARMY CRICKET

Playing in the Army League, the Royal Army Ordnance Corps drew with the Royal Army Medical Corps at cricket yesterday at Sookunpo.

Batting first, the Ordnance Corps put up 180, of which Todd made 72 not out. Prines helped with 40 and Goss claimed 10.

The Medics had replied with 120 for four wickets when stumps were drawn. Morris was top-scorer with 33, and Snook had 21.

## SPORT ADVTS.

### THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

The TWELFTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 1st December, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

By Order,  
C. B. BROWN,

Secretary.  
Hongkong, 26th November, 1934.

## ENTRIES NUMBER 29

### Good Season Expected

### FRENCH CLUB STILL VERY STRONG

Eleven clubs have entered 29 teams in the Shanghai Badminton League for this season, which constitutes a new record for the northern port.

The Club members of the Association are as follows:—Cercle Sportif Français, Country Club, Columbia Country Club, Club Lusitano, Cathedral B.C., International Recreation Club, Police, St. Joseph's, Union Church, Jewish Recreation Club, and the Shanghai Power Co.

The 2nd Division Men's Doubles head the list with nine entries and the Mixed Doubles 1st Division are at the other end with only four entries.

The entries by divisions are as follows:

Men's 1st.—C.S.F. Br.; C.S.F. Int.; Country Club; Club Lusitano; Union Church and Int. Rec. Club.

Men's 2nd.—C.S.F.; Int. Rec. Club; Club Lusitano; Shanghai Power Co.; Cathedral; Jewish Rec. Club; St. Joseph's; Police and Columbia Country Club.

Women's.—C.S.F.; Country Club; Columbia Country Club; Union Church and St. Joseph's.

Mixed Doubles 1st.—C.S.F. Br.; C.S.F. Int. Country Club and Union Church.

Mixed Doubles 2nd.—C.S.F.; Columbia C.C.; Police; St. Joseph's and Jewish Rec. Club.

### C. S. F. STRONG

In the Men's 1st Division the C.S.F. Br. winners last year, should be able to repeat their victory as they have added at least one very strong player from whom much is expected this season.

The newcomers to the first division, the I.R.C., may make things uncomfortable for last year's leaders, as they are putting out a strong team. Their first couple, Gordon Lum and Guy Cheung, are expected to give a good account of themselves and L. H. Wade and "Peanut" Marshall make a strong second couple, and it will be interesting to watch their progress during the season.

The Men's second division appears to be very open and should be close. The Women's division looks as if the Country Club, who have only entered one team this year, should win back the honours again this year. The Mixed Doubles division teams appear to be evenly matched and a good struggle should take place.

## LOCAL YACHTING

### Yacht Club Holds Three Contests

### KEEN RACING

The Royal Hongkong Yacht Club yesterday held three contests. They were: The "A" Class Ladies' Championship; the Ladies' "B" Class; and the "I," "Y" and "G" Classes.

In the "A" race Mrs. Adams piloted the club into first place, in the "I," "Y" and "G" class race Diana piloted by Miss Minnie Whitham gained first place. Miss J. Bryden was at the tiller of Horon when it came in first in the "I," "Y" and "G" class race.

The racing results are as follow:

#### "A" Class at 15.50

Yacht	Fished P'tion Points
Carpenter	16.27.10 9 4
(Mrs. Skyrme)	16.23.09 7 6
Ola	(Mrs. Basu)
Wasp II	(Mrs. Grinnell)
La Linda	16.22.24 11 2
(Mrs. Sheldon)	16.21.07 4 9
Jan	(Mrs. Bruningard)
Isobel	16.24.10 8 5
Joss	(Miss Owen Hughes)
Gull	16.20.13 2 11
(Mrs. Stanton)	16.21.35 5 8
Claudia	16.31.58 12 1
True Blue	16.10.42 1 13
Pat	(Mrs. Adams)
Painted Lady	16.28.04 10 3
(Mrs. Elliott)	16.21.01 3 10
(Mrs. Booty)	

#### "B" Class Started at 15.00

Yacht	Fished Corted P'tion Pts.
Diana	16.21.24 16.20.14 1 4
(Miss Minnie Whitham)	16.20.36 16.20.21 2 2
Ariel	(Miss Mary Whitham)
Dorothy	16.31.27 16.25.37 3 1
(Miss MacLean)	
"I," "Y" & "G" Class, Started 15.05	
Ailsa	16.45.20 16.31.40 4 4
(Misses Bilderbeck)	16.42.15 16.28.50 1 8
Heron	(Miss E. Dryden)
Robena	16.45.05 16.20.10 3 5
Widgeon	(Mrs. B. Marshall)
Zephyr	16.46.23 16.32.58 2 6
Toynette	(Mrs. R. Wren)
Sirius	16.59.30 16.38.30 7 1
(Mrs. F. G. Barker)	16.54.32 16.35.17 6 2
(Mrs. E. Cooper)	

The Italian cruiser Quarto is due here from Shanghai on December 3. The Quarto is of the scout type and carries a crew of 320 men, inclusive of 18 officers. The cruiser is under the command of Captain Attilio Brivonesi and will stay in Hongkong until December 18.

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## AUSTIN V BOROTRA

### FRENCHMAN'S BALANCE OF VICTORIES

H. W. Austin and J. Borotra have now met eleven times in their career in championships, tournaments, and inter-club matches, their matches usually providing close struggles whatever the surface on which their matches are played. The details are:

1929

Borotra bt Austin, Wimbledon, 6-1, 10-8, 6-7, 6-1.

1930

Austin bt Borotra, London v. Paris, 2-6, 6-2, 11-9, 6-2; Paris, Austin bt Borotra, I.C. match

Queen's, 6-3, 6-3.

Borotra bt Austin, I.C. match

Paris, 6-4, 6-8, 7-5.

Borotra bt Austin, Covered Ct Champ, Queen's 6-1, 6-8, 2-6, 6-2, 6-4.

1931

Austin bt Borotra, Challenge Rd., Davis Cup, 7-5, 6-3, 3-6, 7-5.

Austin bt Borotra, I.C. match

Queen's 6-3, 6-3.

1933

Borotra bt Austin, Covered Ct Champ, Queen's, 6-3, 5-7, 6-4.

1934

Borotra bt Austin, I.C. match

Queen's, 4-6, 8-6, 6-4.

Austin bt Borotra, Covered Ct Champ, Queen's, 6-3, 6-4, 6-0, 6-8, 6-2.

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(-3) 6/4, 6/3, Farmer (plus .3) walk over against Hope (Scr), J. L. Wright (Scr) beat Rode (-15.3)

13/11, 7/6, Watson (-15.3) beat Agnew (Scr) 6/4, 6/3, Wood (plus .3) walk over against Pratt (-3).

LADIES SINGLES CHAMPIONSHIP

2nd Round:—Mrs. Kanter beat Schneider (-15.3)

beat Platt & Frost (-15.3)

6/3, 6/3, von Essen &

Beardsworth (Scr) beat Monroe &

Walsham (-40) 6/2, 6/3.

MEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES

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Walsham (-40) 6/2, 6/3.

AUSTRALIAN TOUR

Cricket Team For

Colony?

There are definite prospects that a private Australian team, consisting of past and present test match stars, may visit Hongkong and the Far East in the winter of 1935-36.

Private information to this effect was received in the Colony last week.

It is understood that the team,

which will probably include Don Bradman, W. M. Woodfull, Arthur Mailey, W. H. Ponsford and other notable Australian cricketers, has been invited to visit India by the Board of Cricket Control.

According to an Australian source,

the team is willing to continue the tour to Singapore, Hongkong and

Shanghai if there is sufficient financial inducement.

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### The Clue Of The Forgotten Murder: By CARLETON KENDRAKE

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When DAN BLEAKER, publisher of *The Blade*, learned that CHARLES MORDEN, his reporter, had been mysteriously killed by the emperor SIDNEY GRIFF, famous criminologist, to solve the murder.

Morden had been investigating the affairs of FRANK CATHAY, wealthy and prominent man who had threatened to sue *The Blade*.

Because the newspaper reported Cathay had been arrested, the man arrested was immediately given the name of Frank Cathay and was identified as a girl called MARY BRIGGS.

Soon after Morden found dead came news that Cathay is dead—possibly poison.

Morden's fingerprints are found on the apartment of a girl named ALICE LORTON.

When he reported the disappearance of her roommate, ESTHER ORDWAY, Griff and Bleeker visit Alice Lorton and question her.

#### CHAPTER XVIII

Sidney Griff started pacing the floor. Bleeker watched him with frowning speculation. Alice Lorton's blue eyes were fastened upon him with wide wonder, the candour with which a young patient regards a skilled physician who has come to minister to his suffering—an expression of blind faith which bordered upon devotion.

"How about magazines?" Griff asked suddenly, sweeping his hand in an inclusive gesture toward the magazines on the table. "These weren't purchased at news stands, were they?"

Alice Lorton shook her head.

Griff picked several up, looked at the back pages.

"They were all Esther's," the girl said. "She subscribed to them. Some of them came in wrappers. Some of them had her name stamped on the cover."

"You don't know anything about her family?"

"No."

"Know whether she'd been married or not?"

"I don't think she had. She didn't have much use for men."

"That might indicate she'd been married and separated."

"Yes, it might, but she seemed sort of well, unsophisticated, if you know what I mean."

"'Humph!'" Griff said skeptically.

"How often did she ask you to leave when she had men friends coming?"

"Not very often—just once or twice a month perhaps."

"What did she do with her evenings?"

"She read."

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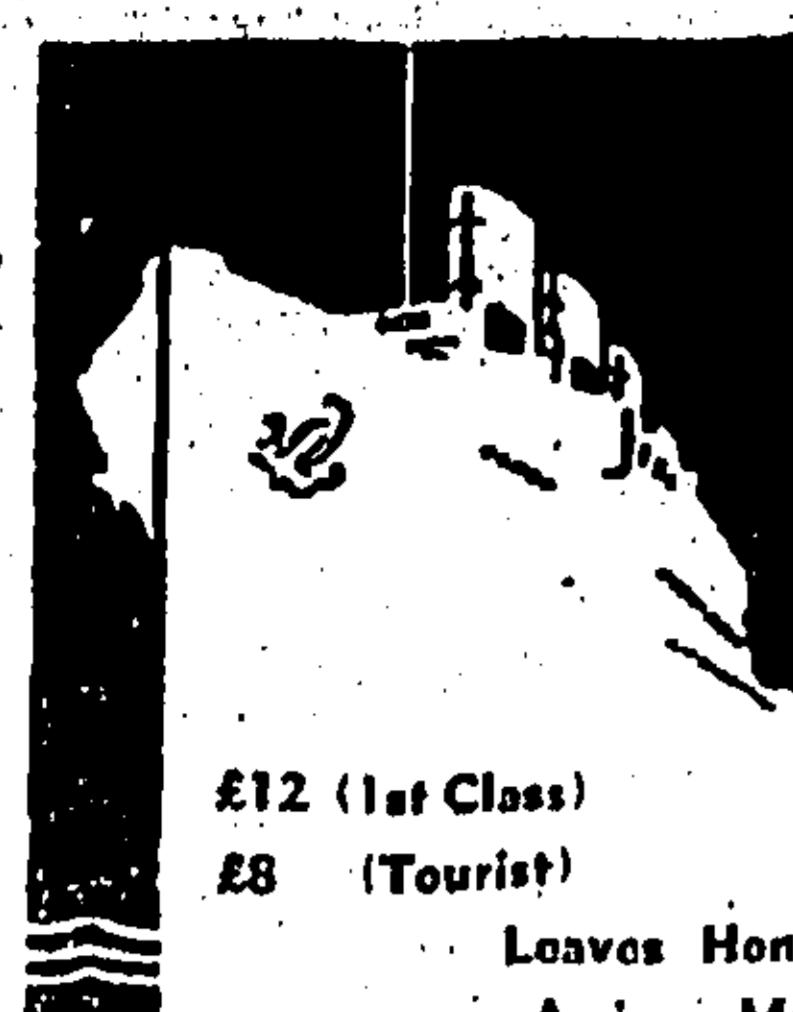
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"What the Girl Guides Do."

Behind the title of their subject,

"Cars, Cans and Canyons,"

the two other speakers, Miss Meta

Mannah and Miss Doris Illing-

worth, dealt with Sunday School

work and conditions in Western

Canada.

Declarer's only hope now was to

try for a squeeze. He led the

queen of trump and picked up

West's last trump. A small heart

was played and the ten from

dummy finessed, East winning the

trick with the queen. East re-

tuned the ten of diamonds, which

West won with the jack.

Declarer then took three rounds

of trump, discarding three clubs

from dummy and the queen of clubs, but

on the last trump he was squeezed.

If he dropped a diamond, declarer's

queen-eight would win, while if he

discarded a small heart, the de-

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Chung Cheung, unemployed, was charged before Mr. W. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with having uttered a forged \$10 banknote of the Chartered Bank at No. 384 Queen's Road West, with intent to defraud Li Po-ki, accountant of the Ming Chuen tea shop, yesterday.

Defendant said he did not know that the note was a forgery.

Sub-inspector Fender said defendant was caught running away after he had changed the note. He went into the tea shop early yesterday morning, and had some tea and something to eat. He tendered the note and received \$9.80 back. He then left the shop and ran away. He was caught about three hundred yards away from the shop, still running. The note was later found to be forged.

Mr. J. M. Pinna, a clerk in the Chartered Bank, deposited to the note being a forgery. He said the signature was printed instead of being signed in ink, and the genuine note of the same number had already been marked off on their register. The printing on the forgery was also bad and the paper of a poor quality; while the colour differed from that of the genuine note.

The hearing was adjourned until 11.45 a.m. on Thursday.

**FIGHTING OPIUM****SUPPRESSION MOVE IN SHENSI**

Sianfu, Nov. 27. In compliance with the new anti-opium regulation announced by the Central Government, the Provincial Government of Shensi is taking steps to suppress opium traffic, poppy planting and opium smoking simultaneously.

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